

CHAPMAN GUILTY; SENTENCED TO HANG

REPORTED CULP ELOPES WITH BROTHER'S WIFE

NOTORIOUS BANDIT
LOSES COURT FIGHT
ON MURDER CHARGE

Surprise Verdict on First
Ballot—Chapman to
Die June 25.

Hartford, Conn., April 4.—Gerald Chapman, notorious super bandit was today found guilty by a jury in superior court of the murder of James Skelly, a policeman, who was shot and killed during the hold-up of a department store in New Britain, Conn., on October 12, last.

Immediately afterward the court overruled a motion of Chapman's counsel to set aside the verdict and sentenced the notorious bandit to hang June 25. Chapman was placed in the custody of the state prison warden at once.

The jury announced its verdict at 10:30 this morning. The verdict of the jury was of "guilty" of first degree murder.

The verdict came after eleven hours of deliberation.

Chapman listened to his doom with cold grey eyes. His face was ashen beneath a prison pallor, but his eyes were ice. Half way through the reading of the fatal words, the bandit smiled or sneered, one could not tell.

Turning to his counsel, Judge Frederick Groehl, Chapman murmured:

"You did your best, Judge."

Chapman had felt that he would not be sent to the gallows. He had expressed himself as believing that the rather lengthy deliberation of the jury meant that there would be a disagreement, if not a more favorable verdict.

There was a profound silence in the court room as the twelve jurors filed slowly into the jury box. After the roll call of the jury, Lucius P. Fuller, court clerk, asked:

"Gentlemen of the jury, have you reached a verdict?"

Samuel Chamberlain, jury foreman, stood up.

"We have," he replied, his voice trembling.

Chamberlain handed a sealed envelope to the clerk.

"What is it?" the clerk asked.

"Guilty!" said Chamberlain.

Walter S. Case, juror number five, kept mumbling "guilty! guilty! guilty!"

The foreman might have whispered the reply for all in the courtroom would have heard it.

Judge Jennings thanked the jury for their conduct during the trial and said the verdict met with his approval.

"I congratulate you gentlemen and believe the verdict in this case is just," said Judge Jennings. He then dismissed the jury.

Prosecutor Hugh M. Alcorn rose and said:

"I move for an immediate sentence."

Counsel for Chapman asked for time to prepare a motion.

Judge Jennings granted the request and adjourned court for half an hour.

Chapman, who received his fate standing behind the screened enclosure leading to the courthouse "pen" below, accepted the sympathetic remarks from the associate counsel with out emotion.

"That's all right," he said to Nathan Freedman. "Don't worry. It's all right."

The bandit murderer was taken downstairs immediately and handcuffed to await the moment of sentence.

The jury only took one ballot in arriving at its verdict, it was learned.

The verdict came as a surprise to the judge, court attendants and spectators.

The jury had come an hour earlier than requested to pass on the fate of Chapman.

The betting in Hartford hotels and poolrooms favored Chapman up to the time of the verdict. The odds in general were 5 to 1 against conviction. A bet of \$500 to \$100 was made by a leading insurance man that Chapman would not hang.

BROTHER OF XENIAN
DIES AT WASHINGTON

Wilbur Swartz, 33, brother of Clayton Swartz, this city, died at his home in Washington, C. H., Saturday morning at 2 o'clock, after a lingering illness from a complication of diseases. He is survived by his widow, three children; his parents, two sisters, Mrs. Wilbur Dye, of Troy, O., Mrs. Rudy Shaffer, Komomo, Ind., and one brother, Clayton Swartz, of Xenia.

Funeral services have not been arranged.

TO INCREASE GARDENS

Martins Ferry, April 4.—The slump in the mining industry is expected to result in increased gardening through out Eastern Ohio, providing the planting season is over, according to one of the proprietors of a local firm operating extensive hotbeds. It was pointed out that in strike years gardening has been one of the principal occupations of idle miners. It is expected that many big gardens will be planted this year.

Dazzled Him Into Marriage?



The beauty of Miss Reba Lawrence (above), so dazzled Marcus Colman McDermott, movie actor, according to his statement that he married her in Chicago in what he called a state of amnesia. McDermott, who has a wife and baby, will be taken to Atlanta, Ga., where it is expected he will be charged with violation of the Mann White Slave Act.

BELIEVE WEEKS MAY RESIGN DUE TO
ILL HEALTH—HILLES IS MENTIONED

Visit of National Committeeman To White House Leads To Report—Change May Result In Shift Of New To War Cabinet Position

Washington, April 4.—Further improvement was noted today in the condition of Secretary of War John W. Weeks who suffered a slight stroke Monday, causing partial paralysis.

Because of his ill health, it is expected that Secretary Weeks will resign his cabinet post sometime before June 30.

Charles D. Hilles, Republican national committeeman from New York, who is among those most prominently mentioned as likely successors to Weeks at the White House this morning and his presence there led to reports that he has already been selected by the president to take the war portfolio.

Hilles has been considered for a number of cabinet posts, both under the Harding and Coolidge administrations.

The New York Republican leader is credited with a desire to be postmaster general, however, instead of Secretary of War and the suggestion was advanced in some quarters that Harry S. New might be shifted over to the war department and Hilles given the postoffice department.

New was an aspirant for the war

NOT SPRING FEVER;
IT'S HUMIDITY

Have you that tired feeling? Has something taken all the joy out of work and you have the urge for a long-needed rest?

Well, it isn't the heat, it's the humidity. Take the word of Professor A. R. Gilliland, of Northwestern University, Chicago.

What is commonly called "spring fever" is due to humidity, moisture in the air, declares Professor Gilliland.

"Humidity causes a moisture fog. Statistics show that on these days when the humidity is either too high or too low there are more suicides. And on these days teachers are more prone to punish their students."

That probably accounts for the ill-humor of your boss this morning, if Professor Gilliland knows what he is talking about.

"We need sunshine," declares the professor. "Guinea pigs were placed in light colored boxes, medium colored boxes and black boxes. After forty days those in the light boxes had gained thirty percent in weight; those in the medium colored boxes had increased ten percent while others had not increased at all."

MEASURE DECEIVES
INSTEAD OF HELPS
DONAHEY DECLARES

Virtually Invites Referendum On Act—Says Bill Misleads Farmers

Columbus, April 4.—Governor Donahey today vetoed the Brown gasoline tax act, at the same time characterizing it as "at best a mis-shapen, unscientific hodge-podge—a measure of deception and trickery against the interests of the mudbound communities of the state, which need help instead of another contemptuous jolt."

The governor attacked the measure as a "new tax raising measure not predicated on public approval at an election," and virtually invited a referendum on the measure when he said the act "is of sufficient public importance to warrant submission to the people."

"Allegedly designed to lift the farmer out of the mud, the bill actually provides merely that the state shall keep him out of the mud after he first helps himself out by having his intercounty roads improved at the expense of the local property taxes," the governor declared.

Pointing out that the Brown act cuts auto tax fees 58 per cent from the \$12,000,000 expected for the current year and citing the highways department estimate that the gas tax would yield \$12,000,000 next year, the governor charged that the amount which the public would pay would be "even greater," because an indirect tax always creates the incentive and excuse for extracting from the people a greater sum than is paid to the government.

Supporting his contention that the measure should be passed upon by the voters, the governor also declared that "if there is to be a gasoline tax by act of the general assembly, there should have been a repeal of the present registration fee, except a nominal one—just enough to pay for administrative cost of manufacture and issuance of license tags." He charged the public "now pays a terrific overhead expense for collecting the auto registration fee, citing the item of \$604,795 carried in the current general appropriation bill for operation of the registration division of the secretary of state's office."

"Without abolishing or reducing this, you pass the gasoline tax bill with a demand for another army of tax collectors, checkers, auditors and inspectors at great expense, further preying on our already too heavy government," the governor charged. He suggested most of the auto registration work "might have been transferred to the Ohio penitentiary" where the work could be done by prisoners practically without cost to the taxpayers.

Calling the Brown act a "creature of compromise and bated," the governor said the proposed distribution of the proceeds of the tax—45 percent to state, 30 per cent to cities and 25 percent to counties—is novel, to say the least.

"My own opinion is that, if there is to be a gasoline tax in Ohio, the entire proceeds should be at the disposal of the state highway department, to be expended anywhere on the inter-county system, in strictly rural sections the governor declared. He showed this and through municipalities alike" was generally the case in the five border states where a gasoline tax is in force.

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MAY ERECT HOSPITAL

Warren, April 4.—Voters in Trumbull County will be asked next November to pass a bond issue for \$100,000 for the purpose of erecting a tuberculosis hospital here. When completed, the hospital will consist of 50 beds and will be the finest in this part of the state. Tuberculosis patients now are sent to hospitals scattered in various cities throughout the state, at a cost to the county of \$15 a week.

AUTOIST CONVICTED

Cincinnati, O., April 4.—After three hours deliberation a jury last night convicted William Rosenthal, 18, Mount Healthy, of manslaughter for the death of Mrs. Louise Fox, 63, November 1, last when Rosenthal's auto ran her down on Springdale Pike.

Refreshments will be served by Mr. Kany after the installation. A full attendance of lodge members is desired.

ELKS TO INSTALL OFFICERS MONDAY

Installation of officers of Xenia Lodge, No. 668, B. P. O. E., will be held Monday evening, April 6, it is announced.

At the recent election, A. C. Garwood was elected Exalted Ruler; James P. Kyle, Leading Knight; Joseph Day, Lecturing Knight; William Purdon, Loyal Knight and James D. Adams, Tyler. Jacob Kany was elected to the board of trustees, the other members of which are Omer Parker and F. W. Sanger.

TOLEDO MAYOR ILL
Toledo, O., April 4.—Bernard Brough, Toledo's bachelor mayor, is confined to the Toledo Hospital today suffering from a complete nervous breakdown. His physician says Brough's condition is serious.

POSTAL ROBBER IS
CAUGHT AFTER FIGHT

Paris, Tenn., April 4.—Following a gun battle of more than an hour during which he and two federal officials received minor wounds, Ernest Gallion, wanted for a \$75,000 postoffice robbery in Mayfield, Ky., October, 1923, was enroute to Memphis today in custody of United States Deputy Marshal.

DUMP CAUSES SUIT

Martins Ferry, April 4.—Claiming her health was injured because of smoke, fumes and gas issuing from a dump of burning stone and slate, near her home, Lulu Steel has filed suit against the Rall and River Coal Company, near Clarksburg, for \$3,000 alleged damages. She, also, asked for an injunction preventing the company from continuing to permit the dump to burn.

MRS. DENNISTOUN MAY SEEK FUNDS
IN AMERICA AFTER COURT RULING

Disappointed By Action Of Judge After Jury Found In Her Favor—Indicates She Will Not Appeal—Receives Many Letters Of Sympathy

London, April 4.—Mrs. Dorothy Dennistoun may seek fortune in a commercial career in America, or open an antique shop in London she told International News Service in an exclusive interview today.

"Wonderful letters from unknown American sympathizers, together with glowing accounts of America, she has received, may send her westward she declared, to hunt the financial success the suit against her former husband failed to bring. The pretty divorcee, whose testimony of mobile in which they were riding, at Grass Lake.

FOUR KILLED AT
RAIL CROSSING

Michigan Central Train Hits Loaded Automobile

Jackson, Mich., April 4.—Four men are dead here today as a result of a collision between the fast Michigan Central passenger train and an automobile in which they were riding, at Grass Lake.

They are:

Peter Ehrig and George W. Bright, both of Jackson; Frank Farr and Vern Tibben, both of Grass Lake.

JAMESTOWN HAS COLUMN ALL ITS OWN

All Jamestown and vicinity will be interested in the new Jamestown column of classified ads which appears on the classified page for the first time today. Jamestown people should read this column daily for announcements important to readers of that vicinity. It will be of great benefit to all.

Jamestown ads may be phoned to 111 and charged. The low cash rate will apply if ads are paid within seven days.

JAMAICA IS OUT

Columbus, April 4.—Many Ohio druggists voluntarily have discontinued the sale of Jamaica ginger and so-called liquor substitutes because of their wide use as beverages, said Theo. D. Wetterstrom, secretary, Ohio State Pharmaceutical Association. The situation, he declared, is becoming extremely serious. He blames this condition, in large measure, upon stores which, while not bonafide drug stores, advertise themselves as such, it was claimed.

W. W. CULP



W. W. Culp, formerly of Spring Valley, is reported to have eloped the second time with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Culp, 22, of Nappanee, Ind. While at Spring Valley eloped with a choir singer.

EX-SPRING VALLEY
MINISTER HAS AGAIN
DESERTED HIS WIFE

Admits One Excursion With Sister-in-Law — Now Gone Second Time

W. W. Culp, 40, of 2804 Pleasant Street, South Bend, who was pastor of the Spring Valley M. E. Church, eloped with an 18-year-old choir singer and set the police of several states on his trail, is thought to have again succumbed to the appeal of free love.

Culp is believed now to have eloped with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Culp, 22, of Nappanee, Ind., wife of his brother, Clio Culp, 27, the pair simultaneously disappearing a week ago. Belief that they eloped is increased by the fact that they admitted an elopement a month ago, during which time they spent two weeks together in Chicago, and then returned penitent to their respective homes.

Information to this effect has been received by Probate Judge S. C. Wright from William E. Miller, chief probation officer of St. Joseph County, South Bend, Ind., who is now searching for the pair. Culp, has deserted his wife and ten children, one having been born to them since their Spring Valley escapade, while the woman left her husband and two small children at Nappanee.

The affair between Culp and his sister-in-law is said to have grown following a visit Clio Culp and his wife paid to the South Bend Culp seven weeks ago, Culp is believed to have been attracted to his young sister-in-law by her resemblance to the girl of his earlier adventures along romantic pathways.

Three weeks after the visit, Culp disappeared from his home in South Bend and his sister-in-law left her home in Nappanee. Tow weeks later they returned penitent. Dorothy admitted to her husband and Culp confessed to his wife, that they had obtained a room in Chicago and lived there two weeks while both were employed.

On their return, both promised to do much better in the future. After remaining at their homes a week, Culp and Dorothy again disappeared, this time taking all their clothing with them, a thing they neglected to do when they left the first time. It is now believed they returned to get their personal belongings. They have now been gone a week and no information has been received from them.

Culp's oldest child, Florence, aged 17 years, is employed at housework in South Bend and received \$7 a week while Gladys, 16, is paid \$5 for doing housework. Harley, 12, is living with a farmer near Wakarusa, Ind., for the summer and Mrs. Culp and the seven children have no means of support, it is said. Judge Wright advised Miller to prosecute Culp under the new charge if caught, although the old case is pending here.

Following his elopement from Spring Valley with a mortgaged automobile in June, 1922, Culp and the girl were apprehended in Michigan. Culp was returned here to face a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor while the girl was turned over to her parents. Culp pleaded guilty to the charge July 18, 1922 and was fined \$500 and costs and sentenced to a year in the Dayton Workhouse by former Probate Judge J. C. Marshall.

However Culp only served a few days in the Work House when he obtained his release on habeas corpus proceedings based on a technical error in the printing of the commitment papers. The error was in the fact that the name "Greene County" although appearing at the head of the papers, did not re-appear in the body of the document.

Following his release Culp took his family to Nappanee where he worked in a cabinet factory, but for more than a year has been employed and living in South Bend, where he earned \$30 a week. He formerly lived at 923 Hendricks Street, Mishawaka, St. Josephs County, but sold his equity in that property for \$50 and contracted to buy the house at 2804 Pleasant Street, where he has been living.

DISEASE ALLEGED

Logan, April 4.—The smallpox and scarlet fever scare here, which has been considerable during the past few weeks, is being allayed. There now are no cases of smallpox in Hocking County. In several nearby counties the disease exists but is being closely guarded against.

MANY CZECHS

St. Clairsville, April 4.—Of the town elders receiving naturalization papers in Belmont County common pleas court here recently, 25 per cent were citizens of Czechoslovakia. Poland ranked second, with 18 per cent, while Germany, Austria-Hungary and Ireland, which, formerly, were leaders, had only 4 or 5 per cent.

SPEEDING TAXI CARRIES DEAD MAN FOR FARE

New York, April 4.—A taxicab rushing to Roosevelt Hospital early today carried a dead man for a fare, it was disclosed when Wm. O'Connell, the driver, reached the hospital with the man whom two well dressed men had pushed into his cab, saying he had been hurt in an accident.

The slain man was about thirty years old. Police believe he was

an actor. There were two bullet wounds in the left side of the man's head. Nothing found on his person indicated his identity.

At the hospital, physicians examining the dead man found his coat ripped up the back, apparently with a knife.

Detectives investigating the killing found the man had entered a night life cafe in the white

light district shortly before he was placed in the cab and had approached a table where two men and two women were sitting. Police are seeking this quartet.

It was said that one of the men got up from the table and led the man to the street and that shortly afterward, shots were heard.

MEASURE DECEIVES INSTEAD OF HELPS DONAHAY DECLARES

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"There has been much misleading propaganda to convince the farmers that this bill was enacted for their special benefit," the governor said. "A glance shows this to be a snare and delusion. In fact the farmers are offered a hamstrung pitance on terms and conditions which are little short of insulting."

He pointed out that gas tax money was to be spent on inter-county roads, only after they have first been improved by local taxes.

"If the counties haven't had the funds in the past to improve these roads, how are they to get the funds now to make their roads eligible to profit from the gasoline tax maintenance fund?" the governor asked.

"In this respect, the bill merely serves to cudgel the farmers living on unimproved roads into paying more local taxes for highway purposes. The governor also reminded the legislature that none of the gas tax funds could be used for improvement of bridges or culverts, or to change or improve the type of construction of roads taken over by the state.

"A more carefully circumscribed tax, restricted in such a way as to deprive the farmer of every advantage, is hardly conceivable," the governor asserted. The bill has been adroitly misrepresented, to make farmers believe the gasoline tax will be a panacea for all their road ills when, in fact, it is artfully drawn and designed so as to extract from them more property taxes than ever for road improvement work.

"I do not believe the farmer is anxious to be charged a gas tax of two cents a gallon for the privilege of paying other additional taxes to improve the roads he uses—nearly all of his gasoline taxes meanwhile being spent for the maintenance of high priced pavements worn out by pleasure seekers and commercial trucking concerns.

"Ohio's 10,000 mile system of highways is little more than half improved. We have our intercity boulevards. The unimproved half is in the farming communities. A state highway levy of which the farmer contributed a substantial share, paid for the boulevards. Then the general assembly abolished the state levy, letting the farmers stick in the mud.

"Now the general assembly, actuated by apparently the same motives, attempts to enact a gasoline tax for the benefit of the boulevards, again letting the farmer stick in the mud until he first improves his own roads by his own local taxes. Instead of giving consideration to the farmer, the general assembly, willingly or unwittingly attempts to fasten on the state of Ohio an octopus for the benefit of hard surface paving material interests."

XENIA RESERVES TO REPRESENT CITY ON DIAMOND THIS YEAR

With re-organization effected and the club merged with the Xenia Athletic Club, the Xenia Reserves baseball team under the management of Jess Chambliss will again cavort on the Washington Park diamond this season.

New uniforms have been purchased for the team, new bill boards erected in center field and a new ticket booth constructed, in the way of improvements.

Manager Chambliss announces that a game will be played at Washington Park April 12 which fans may attend free of charge to look the local prospects over.

The Reserves are booking nothing but high class teams again this season. Games have been scheduled with The Medway Collegians and the Hamilton Clarks, both top-notchers.

All players, both new recruits and former regulars, who desire to try out for berths on the nine, are asked to come to Washington Park Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock for the last drill before the opening practice game Sunday, April 12.

HAS CITY PARK

Defiance, April 4—Title to that portion of the site of Old Fort Winchester, located on the west bank of the Auglaize River between Second and Fort Streets, adjoining the site of Fort Defiance, will lodge with the city of Defiance as long as it is maintained as a public park, according to terms of the deed, filed recently.

BOWERSVILLE WILL BE BACK THIS YEAR WITH STRONG TEAM

The Bowersville Bayliffs baseball team under the management of Bert Bowermeister, of Bowersville, has re-organized for the coming diamond season and will schedule games with only first class teams this season.

Games will be played on Sunday this year and the season will not officially open before the first Sunday in May.

Several new faces may be seen in the opening lineup which will be announced later but a majority of the former regulars that composed the team last year are back in the fold.

Practice has been started on the Bowersville diamond and initial drills are going forward smoothly with indications that the Bayliffs will present a strong nine this season.

Attempts are being made to arrange games with the Medway Collegians, Washington C. H. and a Xenia team while other nines will be added to the schedule as the season progresses.

WICAL SIGNS WITH BLUE RIDGE TEAM

Thurman Wical, former star pitcher for Bloomington, Ill., and Cairo, Ill., in the Kitty League, has signed up for mound duty with the Chambersburg, Pa., baseball team in the Blue Ridge League, and will leave for that city before April 10.

Wical has been actively associated with the diamond pastime for a number of years and last year won a majority of his games pitching for Greenfield, which placed second in the Western Ohio League.

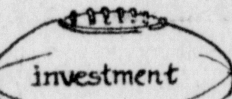
In signing up with Chambersburg, Wical is stepping into a higher division and better class of professional baseball teams and should assist his new teams materially in its pennant race.

MONEY AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments

THESE GAMES

HAVE

DIFFERENT
RULES

If you were playing baseball, you would not try to use football rules; if you are an investor, do not try to speculate—the rules are entirely different.

Both speculation and investment have a very legitimate place in our financial structure. However, it is only rarely that a man who has a successful working knowledge of one is even decently acquainted with the other. Most of us belong in the investors' class because that is the sure, certain, constructive way to achieve financial independence. The returns from investment are smaller, but infinitely surer than from speculation.

It is little short of criminal for the untrained man to speculate no matter if he has money he doesn't mind losing. It is a little worse than criminal for the average man with family responsibilities to speculate, because he cannot afford to lose, and he most generally does lose. These losses often wipe out the investments and savings of many years.

Remember—it is comparatively easy to get sound, expert advice on investing (thereby increasing your safety), but speculation requires years of active practice and trading by the speculator to grasp even its fundamentals.

THE WORST IS YET TO COME



COMING EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

Copy will be accepted for this column up to 10 A. M. daily and run without charge. Telephone 70.

Monday
P. of P.
Xenia S. P. O.
Phi Delta Kappa
Modern Woodmen
R. P. O. E.
Shawnee I. O. O. F.
K. and S. M.
Tuesday
Rotary
Kiwanis
Xenia I. O. O. F.
Obed. D. of A.
Moose Legion
K. of C.
Wednesday
Church Prayer Meets
J. O. U. A. M.
K. of P.
L. O. O. M.
Co. L. Drill
Thursday
Co. L. Band
Red Men
P. of X. D. of A.
Rebekahs
Friday
Eagles
Maccabees

WILBERFORCE

Bishop W. J. Walls of the A. M. E. Zion Church, Charlotte, N. C., who was attending the National Interracial Conference last week in Cincinnati, was the guest of Prof. and Mrs. Chas. Points, Jr., Monday.

Mr. Carlton Wesley of the firm of Chandler, Atkins and Wesley, corporation lawyers of Muskogee, Okla., is in the village looking after oil interests of several students who are owners of valuable oil lands in Oklahoma.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Wallace of Richmond, Ind., visited their daughter, Mrs. Charles Martin, last Saturday. They were accompanied by Rev. Benson of Indianapolis.

The legislature last week confirmed three new trustees of the C. N. I. Trustee Board in the persons of Dr. Jos. L. Johnson of Columbus, Hon. Harry Smith, editor of the Cleveland Gazette and Captain Walter Thomas of Mansfield, Ohio.

Mr. H. L. Seamans, Field Secretary for the Y. M. C. A. for the state of Ohio, gave the local branch a visit last week. He delivered a very interesting address to the members of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. in the parlors of Shorter Hall. On Friday evening the young men of the Alpha Fraternity gave him a stag reception and light refreshments were served. At the chapel services Saturday morning he again spoke to the student

body and told them of the needs of well trained young men and women to take charge of associations throughout the country. He laid stress on the necessity of a regular Y building at the school for the accommodation of the students interested in Christian work.

The many friends of Miss Kittie Fenner, instructor in Grade Teaching in the Normal Department, were agreeably surprised Friday when they received an announcement card from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dixie Fenner of Vauxhall, N. J., announcing the marriage of their daughter, to Mr. Robert Patrick Jones of Cincinnati, Ohio, on Monday, September 23, 1924. The young couple will be at home in Vauxhall, N. J., after June the 18th.

Miss Fenner is one of the popular young lady teachers of the General Faculty. She is a graduate of the State Normal School of New Jersey and served as a teacher in the public schools of Gouldtown, N. J. She has been connected with the Normal Department since September, 1922. The teachers and numerous friends extend to the bride and groom their hearty congratulations.

The Y. W. C. A. on recommendation of the State Committee, elected for the year following new officers: President, Miss Gloria Fields, Vice President, Miss Lasea J. Aycock, Secretary, Miss Alma Ford, Corresponding Secretary, Miss Marie Molmham, Treasurer, Mrs. Charles Smith, Undergraduate Girls, Miss Sunie Steele, Pianist, Miss Annette Sharp.

One of the most unique affairs of the season was a Cross-Word Puzzle Party given by the members of the Builders' Club of the Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Kappa Chapter of the University, in Shorter Hall on Monday evening. The cross-word scheme and club colors were carried out in gold and green colors, and in the middle of the room was a beautiful cross-word design suspended from the ceiling lighted with an electric bulb showing the words, "Builder's Club, Welcome."

The guests were furnished with favors which consisted of cross-word puzzle caps and small dictionaries tied with ribbon bows in the colors of the Club. Miss Helen Davis, the President gave an address. Responses were made by Miss Rebecca Curtis, Ivy Leaf Club, Miss Ruth Kuykendall, Pyramid Club, Mr. David Cornick, Lampadus Club, Mr. Randolph Ward, Sphinx Club, and Mrs. Carl Hamlet, Scrooler's Club. The menu consisted of Cross Word Salad, Puzzle Wafers, Builder's Cross Word Puzzle Punch, Cross Word Ice Cream, Puzzle Cake and Mints.

Bowling

Thornhill's "5" crashed the maples for a three game total of 2,645 in taking three straight games from the Wilsons team Friday night in the bowling league.

Earl Short gathered the most pins for the winners with a total of 578 and again rolled high single score with 213. Box score:

Wilson	141	143	160
W. C. Horner	147	164	152
W. Horner	149	147	157
Anderson	179	149	177
Gannon	152	148	160

Total 768 751 806

Thornhill	189	205	14
Swisher	184	213	181
Short	201	161	139
Mitchell	158	180	208
Stevens	159	158	165

Total 891 917 827

REAL ESTATE

The Miami Conservancy District to the Nyanpan Railroad Company, complete right of way, thirty-two deeds. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Oscar Myers and Etta Myers, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Bernhard and Karolina Vallmer, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Olena E. Lewis and Lawrence C. Ross, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Mrs. Esther Williams, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Ralph E. Price, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Louis Jauch, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

Elmer T. Stoll and Adda T. Stoll to Tabitha Hall and Lawrence Hall, property in Clifton Village \$1.00.

George H. Snyder to Franklin

FAMOUS FANS

By Hopp



GET THIS



Women's Shoes

Included are new two color pumps in patent leather and tan, and cutout and one strap styles in patent leather, satin or tan calf. Also many oxfords. Every one a bargain. A large assortment from which to select.

\$1.98 to \$2.98

Every member of the family can be outfitted with Easter shoes at a saving that will surprise you if you shop in our Bargain Annex. Not cheap shoes but good shoes marked low.

Children's Shoes

The new two color pumps with ribbon ties, in patent leather and tan. New cut out models in various styles.

\$2.69 to \$2.79

BOYS' LOW SHOES

mostly in tan, broad toed styles.

\$1.98 to \$2.49

You Save Money On Shoes IN OUR Bargain Annex

Men's Shoes

Dress shoes and oxfords, in tan or black. Special at

\$2.98

TAN WELT DRESS OXFORDS

Good looking and service-giving. Great bargains at.

\$3.49

Moser's Shoe Store

S. DETROIT STREET

Youngerman, property in Osborn Village. \$1.00.

George H. Snyder to William Calvin Poole and Mary Parker Poole, property in Bath Township. \$1.00.

Grace Madden and D. K. Wolf by M. L. Wolf, Atty. to Owen White, city property \$1.00.

Mabel E. Kendig to Cora Kendig, property in Yellow Springs Village. \$1.00.

James J. McBride to Wella Shipley, city property \$1.00.

Eliza O. Bannon, formerly Eliza Howard to Clayton Howard, property in Greene County. \$1.00.

Mary T. Lampert to Todd E. Lowry and Edna Lowry, city property. \$1.00.

The Wilson Engineering and Contracting Company to The Aquatic Company, city property. \$1.00.

William See and Estella See to

Charles L. and Edna C. Carr, property in Yellow Springs Village. \$1.00.

Nancy Jane Longstreth to Charles I. Beaver and Starling L. Good, property in Bath Township. \$1.00.

Frederick P. Baldwin and Anna D. Baldwin to Lester E. Swigart, lot in Dadds Addition. \$1.00.

Theresa M. Karch and H. L. Karch to O. M. Hurley, city property. \$1.00.

Thomas J. and Margaret Ridenour to Mary A. Murray, property in Yellow Springs Village. \$1.00.

C. A. Wallace to Mary A. Murray, property in Yellow Springs Village. \$1.00.

Florence E. Stewart, Emma Giot felter, Essie Rock, Roy Feirstine and Harold Feirstine to Guy C. Coy, property in Beaver Creek Township. \$1.00.



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CLEVER PROGRAM IS GIVEN BY BIBLE CLASS

The Berean Bible Class entertained some of their friends with a dinner at the First Reformed Church, Thursday evening. The tables were laid in the social hall of the church, in the form of a large cross, at which fifty-four young women were seated.

The color scheme was yellow and white, jonquils and forsythia being used in profusion. After the dinner, the regular business of the class was transacted. Mrs. Edwin Buck, the president, presiding. The guests were then invited into the Sunday School room which had been transformed in appearance to resemble a huge living room; rugs, tables, lamps and easy chairs, replacing the usual furnishing of the room.

Here, a radio program was enjoyed, which was prepared especially for the occasion and was broadcast by "Station SSBSC" (Scripture Searching Bereans' Sunday School Class). The opening number was a cleverly written "How Do You Do" song, by Mrs. John Eavey and sung by a chorus. This class has come unusual talent in it and both the musical numbers and readings deserve special mention.

Another feature which added much amusement was a picture show. These pictures were taken of different members of the class in childhood and thrown upon a sheet by the aid of an electric lantern.

BIRTHDAY REMEMBERED BY FRIENDS AT PARTY

Honoring the seventeenth birth anniversary of Miss Gladys Davis, her schoolmates and friends arranged a complete surprise at the Davis home near Bellbrook, Tuesday evening. A social time was enjoyed throughout the evening. Sandwiches, pickles and cake were served.

Those present were: The Misses Nellie Feuber, Mary Weicher, Hallie Holland, Alice Ryne, Elsie and Alice Lindamood, Charlotte Huston, Dorothy Villars, Dora A. W., Corinne Murphy, Cleo Stephens, Lemma Smith, Kathryn Gibson, Edna and Stella Hopkins, Louise Berryhill, Lillian Johnson, Frances Wright, Gladys Davis and Messrs. William Shaw, Carl Fauber, Lewis Overstake, George Stubbs, William Turner, Ellsworth Giotfelter, Chris Weicher, Sam and Chilton Bowles, Wayne Peterson, Spencer Swigart, Dick and Ralph Edgington, Kenneth Huston, Harold Murphy, Gordon Graff, Paul Huston, Lawrence Crowl, John and Wayne Black, Pat Holland, Tim Black, Carl Berryhill, Dick Hunt, Paul Swigart, Clyde Gibbons, Clifford Davis and Mr. and Mrs. John Davis.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE AT COUNTRY HOME

Friends and neighbors gathered together and surprised Mr. Lennie Luttrell at his home near New Jasper Tuesday evening. Many games were played and enjoyed by all the guests. Ice cream and cake were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Fudge and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Huston and family; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Henderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean, Mr. Herbert Dean and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hook and family, Mr. Fred Bales and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shuttles and family, Mrs. Will Jenkins and daughter, Ruth Ann, Mr. Fitzpatrick and daughter Merle, Mrs. Frank Sheets and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McClellan and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Luttrell and family.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HOLDS SOCIAL GATHERING

Nineteen members of Mrs. J. Thorb Charters Sunday School Class of the First M. E. Church, enjoyed a dinner party at the home of the Misses Lois and Olive Benbow, North Galloway Street, Friday evening.

The guests each brought their contribution of delicacies and a varied and complete menu was served. The dinner was served buffet style and the informality of the gathering added to its pleasure.

The remainder of the evening was spent in a social way.

BANQUET PLANS COMPLETE

The committee in charge of the "Father and Son" banquet at the Odd Fellows Hall, Tuesday evening, April 7, has completed the plans and premises a good social time. Members of the lodge are urged to bring a boy and enjoy the evening's entertainment.

The Muskingum College Girls' Glee Club, which appears for a concert at the Second U. P. Church, this city, Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock, gave a concert in Dayton, Friday night and was enthusiastically received. The club was asked to repeat its program at the N. C. R. Hall, Dayton Saturday at noon. The local concert is free to the public.

Miss Catherine Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Miller, who attends Hood College, Frederick, Md., is home for her spring vacation.

The Missionary Society of the First Reformed Church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. E. Schmidt Wednesday, April 18, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Edna Yeazell and family, of Springfield, are moving to Clinton to reside with Mrs. Yeazell's mother, Mrs. Mary Beolman.

Miss Mary Hester, of London, Ohio, is spending a few days in this city with friends.

Mr. Thomas Hollencamp arrived in Xenia Friday evening to be with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hollencamp of East Second Street, for the Spring vacation. He is a student at Miami University.

Regular meeting of Triumph Temple No. 467 will be held Tuesday April 7, at 7:30 o'clock. Initiation will be held and refreshments served.

Mrs. Jacob Smith is confined to her home on South Detroit Street, with an attack of grip.

ANNUAL DINNER AND BUSINESS MEETING AT CHURCH

Three hundred persons attended the annual dinner and business meeting of the Second United Presbyterian Church, Friday evening, in the church dining room. A bounteous chicken dinner was served by the Ladies Aid Society, under the leadership of Mrs. Frank Routzong, president and Mrs. Charles Bickett, chairman of the third division.

Narciss and other Spring flowers were used to decorate the tables and dining room.

Mr. Frank Hastings was elected president of the congregation; Mr. Fred Williamson, vice president; Mr. Graham Bryson, secretary; Mr. R. R. Grieve treasurer and Messrs. Ed Foust and Ernest Hutchison were re-elected to the board of trustees.

Reports were heard from all the secretaries, showed the work of the congregation to be in a prosperous condition. The congregational treasurer, Mr. R. R. Grieve, reported all bills paid and a balance of \$141.00 in the treasury.

XENIA W. C. T. U. MEETING FAIDAY

The Xenia W. C. T. U. met at the home of Miss Jennie Thomas, East Third Street, Friday, with Mrs. Emma Anderson in charge of the devotion. The "Studies in Government" lesson was conducted by the president and a discussion followed upon various subjects brought up by the lesson, in which nearly all present took part.

Miss Thomas gave a talk on her recent trip to Washington, D. C., after which a social hour was enjoyed.

Mr. Loren Whittington and Miss Ruth Whittington who attend Dennison University, Granville, Ohio, are enjoying the Spring vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Whittington of South Detroit Street. Mr. Whittington has as his guest Mr. Ernest Galliam, a classmate.

Mr. Karl Ankeney who is a student at Miami University is spending the Spring vacation with his parents.

The Misses Alicia and Henrietta Monroe who attend Oberlin College are at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Monroe of East Market Street, for the Spring vacation.

Mr. Marcus McCallister, who attends Miami University, arrived Friday evening for a Spring vacation at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCallister of North King St.

Mr. Kenneth Holman is spending the Spring vacation at his home. He is a student at Miami University.

Miss Harriet Keller, student at Miami University, Oxford, O., arrived in Xenia Friday evening to spend the Spring vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Keller of North Detroit Street.

Messrs. Arthur and Donald Currie, students at the Ohio Wesleyan University and Mr. Lawrence Currie, student at Cedarville College, are spending the Spring vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Currie, of West Church Street.

Mrs. Malissa Van Cleef who has been ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Faulkner, Hill Street, with rheumatism, for several weeks, is slowly improving.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesbee of South Whiteman Street, is ill with grip.

Mr. William Miller of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, is expected to arrive Sunday morning to spend the Spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Miller, of North Detroit Street.

Chas. Proudft, Jr., son of the Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Proudft, has been suffering from an attack of appendicitis, but is improving.

Messrs. Kenneth Hutchison, Bruce Ferguson, Robert Ballantyne, and Frank Short and Miss Myrtle Bickett, students at Muskingum College, Now Concord, O., are spending their Spring vacation at their Xenia homes.

Mr. John Wolford, of Miami University, Oxford, is spending his Spring vacation at his home on the Jamestown Pike.

MARSHAL SCHNEIDER OF OSBORN ASKS FOR RULING ON LAW ABOUT CONCEALED WEAPONS

Masha W. A. Schneider, of Osborn, has written to Attorney General C. C. Crabbe for a correct definition of the law governing carrying concealed weapons, asking that Crabbe interpret the clause which says persons may be arrested for having weapons concealed "on or about" their person.

Marshal Schneider recently aided in the arrest of C. A. Baker and Ray Harris, of Charleston, Ill., on that charge, but on a rehearing of the case, the men were dismissed, because of insufficient evidence since the weapons found were discovered in their machine and not "on or about" their persons.

Marshal Schneider points out that the law is not clear on the phrase "on or about" or what it is intended for.

The ruling in the test case of Baker and Harris means that if a weapon is found concealed in a car, the owner is within the law, Schneider says.

"If this is the law, what chance has an officer of the public against the holdup man in the car?" asks Schneider. "You can carry on your automobile, weapons and conceal them until you are ready to use them, if an officer finds them, all he can do is to say, 'you can't pull off your job here, go to the next place' or else probably get shot."

"If this ruling is right, the hold-up men, highwaymen and bandits have a full and clear road to rob and plunder the public without interference of the law, unless they are caught at the job," claims Marshall Schneider.

Baker and Harris were arrested on the Fairfield-Zimmerman road in a stalled automobile by Deputy Marshal Al Jolley, of Osborn, who found them near the village without a state license on their machine. They were fined for operating a car without a license but the license was later found in the car.

In searching the car, officers found a 25 calibre automatic revolver in a side pocket, a box of 32 automatic shells, a blackjack under the foot-board, a 38 coil revolver, one 32 automatic revolver, and 200 cartridges.

The work of moving The Bake-Rite Company, from the room adjoining the Regal Hotel to the room on East Main Street, formerly occupied by the Banner Bazaar, has been completed.

The stock of the bakery was moved Tuesday to the new room, which has been fitted up to accommodate the bakery. The room in the Regal Hotel Building has not been released.

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According to Marshall Schneider, their actions from the time of their arrival in Dayton were in line with those of real hold-up men and yet the law says they are within the law turns them loose and sends an order to return their property to the men three revolvers, 200 rounds of shells and a blackjack.

Marshal Schneider said that these weapons are still in his possession and will remain so until a new ruling is made on the question. He ventures the opinion that if the decision was correct, the legislature should take immediate steps to amend the law or make it more easily understood.

EAST END NEWS

THIRD M. E. CHURCH

The Rev. Thomas Perkins of Wilberforce will deliver the eleven o'clock sermon. Preaching at 7:30 by the pastor.

The Tribe of Levi from Trinity C. M. E. Church of Dayton, will entertain us with their Candle Light Pageant, Saturday night at 7:30 p.m.

The public is cordially invited. — Rev. G. L. Sheppard, Pastor.

ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

A. L. Dooley, Pastor.

Sunday School, 9:15 a.m., George Gaines, Supt. 10:30 a.m., Preaching. Subject: "The Completeness of Redemption." Text Ezekiel, 18:21, 7:20 p.m., Subject, "Give Jesus A Chance." Text, John 12:32. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p.m. Mrs. A. C. Hawkins, President.

Good program. Installation of officers. All are asked to be present on time. Public invited.

Mrs. Eliza O'Banion, 70, died at her home, 18 Columbus Avenue. She had been a resident of Xenia practically all of her life.

Surviving are three brothers, Clayton, Martin and H. P. Howard, of Xenia and one sister, Mrs. Susie E. Hall, Nashville, Tenn.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence with interment in Cherry Grove Cemetery.

The special Palm Sunday music to be rendered by the Yellow Springs Baptist Church Choir at the Third Baptist Church at 3 p. m. this Sabbath will be of much interest and spiritual uplift. Rev. C. M. Smith will deliver the sermon for the occasion. The congregation will also worship with the local congregation. The public is invited.

KROGER COMPANY TO OPEN NEW STORE HERE

Arrangements are being made to open the fourth store of the Kroger Grocery and Baking Company in Xenia. The business room at 525 W. Main Street, recently occupied by a confectionery has been leased by the company for a grocery.

The room is being fitted up with counters and shelves for the new business and the entire room painted and varnished. The manager of the new store has not been announced.

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We are now showing, just in time for Easter, an unusually fine line of decidedly smart coats—all greatly underpriced. Mostly, following Fashion's latest trend, they are straight-lined. Some are trimmed with contrasting colors; others are perfectly plain. In all the shades of tan and the many new high colors. Seldom will you equal these high values that we are offering you in time for Easter Sunday.

\$7.45 to \$17.75

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Easter Sunday—the day of all days to have a lovely new dress. From our large assortments you cannot fail to find just the dress you want at a price less than you expected to pay. The newest dresses in silks, crepes, printed and figured materials are here for your choosing. No woman need do without a new Easter dress at these wonderfully low prices.

\$5.95 to \$15.00

New Arrivals In Easter Millinery

Many decidedly new and chic hats have arrived during the past few days—styles exceptionally desirable for Easter wear. The shapes, the beautiful colorings and deft touches of trimming combine in making these new assortments about the best and most delightfully stylish lot of millinery we've shown this season. At special low prices for Easter selling.

\$2.45

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GAS BUGGIES—Isn't That Just Like A Man

By BECK



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HOW HAVE YOU SPENT YOUR YEARS?

MEN in all ages, probably, have expressed the wish for perpetual youth. The recipe entitled "How to change an old man into a young man of twenty," which has been found by an Egyptologist, doubtless was formulated in response to a popular demand in 1600 B. C. Just what it proposed is not revealed but men have a natural revulsion against increasing years. This is what led Ponce de Leon on his quest of the "Fountain of Youth" and what he failed to find on that journey has been sought recently in gland transplantation, though possibly with no greater success than attended the efforts of the Egyptian quack 3,500 years ago. Something can be done toward delaying the departure of the feeling of youth, but the years that mark the passage from youth to mature age cannot be stayed and it is well that it is so.

The preservation of a youthful spirit lies not in magic, or in drinking from a fables fountain, or by some other form of hocus pocus to reveal the method. It lies entirely with the individual, but some do not care to practice it. Were it possibly by some means for one to secure perpetual youth it is not at all assured that such a state would be welcomed for long. A popular author, in treating of a legendary character condemned to live always, portrays the latter's grief over the passing away in each generation of those he had learned to love. His friends died and left him alone. His fate was a punishment to him. Possibly such would be the feeling were one to happen on a recipe for restoring youth to age. Each portion of life has its compensations. Age certainly is not to be regretted if the years have been fruitfully spent.

AND THIS IN AMERICA

MANIFESTLY it would be improper to discuss the merits of litigation pending before a court, but there are two features developed in the Tea Pot Dome case that require very serious attention irrespective of the outcome of the case itself. Consider the testimony of Admiral Robison, who was in charge of the Naval Oil Reserves and accepts full responsibility for the transfers to Sinclair and Doheny. Here's a man since boyhood trained, fed, clothed and kept in honorable posts at the expense of the people of the United States, who announces to the court that he deliberately secreted the transfer from Congress and the public because it was none of their business, although there was no element of military necessity involved. Whew—and this in America!

Turn then to the attitude of three great oil corporations—including the Standard of Indiana. A ranking official of each of these corporations has information urgently required by the United States Government to complete its case. These officials have fled the jurisdiction. When two of them are located abroad they flatly refuse to answer questions. The third is on "business" in South America. What assistance do their employees render the government? None that has been printed! They do not even disavow their conduct!

Yet each of these corporations has begged the Federal Government to protect it at home with tariffs and what not and abroad with Naval and Military support!

These same corporations are quick to fight "radicals," to "Americanize" foreigners and to cry to high Heaven against the Bolsheviki, who are attempting to undermine the foundations of the government. So far as we know not one of their stock-holders has demanded that these makers of Bolsheviki shall be disciplined! A pity 'tis a pity!

JUST FOLKS

Edgar A. Guest

A MARVELOUS PSYCHIC

A fortune man was here today
And lovely Nellie said to me:
"Let's hear the things he has to say!
A dollar only is his fee."
So to the psychic, she and I
Went for a reading on the sly.
I've spent a dollar countless times
For trivial things and needed stores,
Spent them for buttons, wax and rhymes,
And raffie tickets by the scores,
Seats at the theaters and such,
But never one which bought so much.
I've squandered dollars I regret,
Spent them to find I had been stung,
I've even lost them on a bet,
Dollars to boggars I have flung,
But this one purchased more content,
Than all the others I have spent.
One thing he said was worth the price,
I shall recall it all my life:
"Be kind to him! Take my advice,
You're fortunate to be his wife.
You surely chose with wisdom rare
When you picked him your life to share."

STUDENTS TO START ANTIOCH BOOK STORE

A new bookstore is being proposed for Antioch College with the aim to provide the latest books of fiction, poetry and essays.
At a meeting of a small group of students, it was agreed to begin at once a campaign to enlist as many students as possible in the plan. Shares are to be sold at \$1 each. The proposed site for the store is in the lot of the new literary building. The books in the shop will be sold or rented by the day.

TO GIVE ADDRESS

A. L. Freedlander, factory manager and second vice-president of the Dayton Rubber Company, will deliver a talk in the science lecture hall of Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Monday evening. The subject of his speech will be, "Rubber Compounding Ingredients and their use in Rubber Goods Manufacturing."

Mr. Freedlander will have dinner with the Science Club of the College at 6 o'clock and speak at 7:30 p.m.

SPEAK AT VESPERS

Dr. Edward Janney, chairman of the central committee of the Friends General Conference at Baltimore, will be the speaker at the vesper service at 7 o'clock Sunday night at Antioch College. Dr. Janney's lecture will be broadcast from the Antioch station, WRAY. His subject will be "A Reasonable Faith."

"RIDE NOT A FREE HORSE TO DEATH" (Cervantes in "Don Quixote")



1905-Twenty Years Ago-1925

Manager H. C. Dean says that within a couple of weeks the new exchange for the Citizens' Company will be installed at Spring Valley.

Dr. B. R. McClellan delivered a lecture at the regular meeting of the Greene County Medical So-

ciety last night on the topic, "Treatment of Tuberculosis."

To Xenians interested in the Central States Oil Company, it is announced that the concern shot its second well Saturday and is now averaging 120 barrels of oil per day.

active game: Have a cheap calico bag for every guest. In each bag have some article of clothing—the funnier the better. Old jackets and sweaters are best. Mix the bags up in the middle of the floor. At a signal, everybody snatches a bag (not knowing what is in it) and races for the wall at one end of the room; there he or she must put on the article of clothing which is in the bag and run to the opposite end of the room, touch the wall, and race back to his starting place where he donned the garment. He who accomplishes this first, wins. This is a game which may be repeated again and again, the bags being mixed up each time.

Efficient Housekeeping

By Laura A. Kirkman

GAMES FOR AN EASTER PARTY

TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast	Strawberries	Cereal	Toast
Codfish Balls	Coffee		
Luncheon	Grilled Beefsteak	Mashed Potatoes	Creamed Cauliflower
Ice Cream	Fruit Salad	Coffee	
Guest Supper	Stuffed Eggs a la Marie	Jam Sandwiches	Preserves
Cake			Cocoa

At an Easter Party for young people, the idea that spring has come, is generally stressed. Hence the use of the flower contests described below:
Mount pictures of the early spring flowers on stiff cards, each of which bears a number; pin these cards upon a sheet, hung against the wall. Give each guest pencil and paper and ask them to write the names of all the flowers they recognize. At the end of four minutes, collect the cards. A small, inexpensive booklet on "How to Know the Flowers" would be an appropriate booby prize! He who has the most perfect results, however, might receive a potted Easter plant.

Pussy Willow Contest: Give each

guest pencil and a sheet of paper which is decorated with a sprig of pussy willow (either painted on, or pasted on). See who can write down the greatest number of words beginning with "cat" in three minutes. A small image of a cat would be a good first prize for the winner.
Easter Observation Contest: Have a group of things suggestive of Easter Season arranged on a tray—such as a hymn book, a picture of a church, a jonquil, a rabbit, a colored egg, a fluffy stuffed chick, etcetera. Once more distribute pencil and paper. Nobody may write upon the paper, however, until the tray is whisked away, after three minutes of steady observation. He who can recall the greatest number of articles on the tray wins.
"Going Home for Easter" is a more

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Melt in spoon; inhale vapors; apply freely up nostrils.
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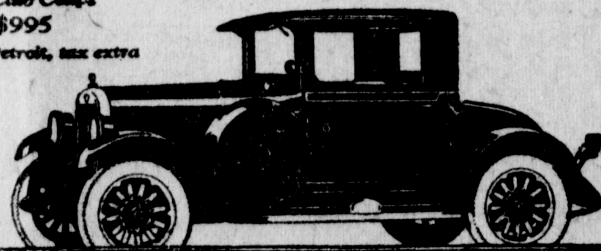
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Today's Talks

IT RAINED LAST NIGHT

The day had opened strange, silent, thick in mystery. Such a day as creeps into our heart of hearts and instead of lighting it up, serves to throw further darkness there and to arouse those serious questionings that so often confront us.

And then as the hours passed their way, it grew darker and then it rained, and rained.

All evening, all night it rained. Nature had taken on its double coat and then sat down to bear the tears of the heavens as they rushed in torrents to the table of the earth.

It is peculiar how storms influence the human heart, the human consciousness. Rain in itself is so beautiful, so clean and so inspiring in its errand. But when it is so wrapped in the garments of black clouds, and the closed eyes of night follow it to its rest amongst roots and stones and the dirt of the ground, then its effect is so different.

But what a transformation in the morning! Not a cloud to be seen. The sun streaming into every nook and corner of everywhere. Flowers bursting with laughter, rocks washed and now glistening in the reflected lights that dance upon their sides. The grass so green. The whole gay round and warm, like a beloved ball in a boy's hand.

It rained last night. Our spirits were very low. But we drank a little cup of Faith and Confidence—and went to sleep.

Today is bathed in freshness. We are so full of courage. We taste of

patience lustily. We are not afraid to trust anew.

What storms there are that darken the heart! Sometimes how it rains and rains in there—until it well-high suffocates, calling for deliverance from its stress.

And then the storm breaks, as it always does, and how soon the darkness is forgotten.

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FOX NEWS

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

CONSTANCE TALMADGE

In a six reel comedy drama

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With

JACK MULHALL and ZA SU PITTS

Connie Has—

Five Proposals
Four Weddings
Two Divorces—Is
Thrice a Grass Widow
Once a Sod Widow
Once Remarried

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ORPHIUM THEATRE

TONIGHT

The 40th Door

The most sensational breathtaking thrills and mystery ever concentrated into one serial photoplay. Come and see Chapter 9. The end will be shown next Saturday in Chapter 10.

"THE CANNON BALL EXPRESS"

A Mack Sennett 2 reel comedy. Speed, thrills and laughs.

"THE SCENARIO SCHOOL"

A Sunshine 2 reel comedy.

Matinee 1:15 and 2:45. Night 5:45 to 10 p. m.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

CAPTAIN BLOOD

By Rafael Sabatini

The Greatest Love Story Ever Told

With J. Warren Kerrigan, Jean Paige and Fifty Fan Favorites

The Greatest Sea Battle Ever Screened

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PATHE NEWS

Admission 25c. Children 10c.

1st Show 6:45.

2nd Show 8:45.

Come Early Monday and Tuesday Night.

Dictionary Coupon

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will secure the New Authentic Dictionary being distributed by the Gazette and Republican. Present or mail this coupon with 98c to cover cost of handling, etc. Add 7c extra if you wish the dictionary mailed to you.

EDUCATIONAL AND SAFETY WEEK WILL BE STAGED BY CLUB

Officials of the Greene County Auto Club will sponsor an "Educational and Safety Week" among schools in the county beginning Monday, April 6, it was announced Friday.

With summer and warm weather at hand, and school vacations starting in several months, officials believe that every precaution should be taken to safeguard against accidents by demonstrating principal causes and preventions.

Seven reels of motion pictures have been obtained from the Detroit Police Department, the General Motors Corporation, of Detroit and the United States Bureau of Mines, of Pittsburgh, showing causes of accidents and preventative measures. It is believed that the public as well as children should be educated to safety and these pictures will be shown at local theaters four days of next week.

Officials have rented a motion picture machine and will take the films to all schools in the county to be shown. The pictures will be put on the screen at the Jamestown theater next Friday for students of Jamestown, Ross Township and Bowersville public schools.

A shipment of fifty jay-walking signs recently purchased from a company at Allegheny, Mich., are expected to arrive during the week and will be distributed in the county in connection with provisions of the new traffic ordinance.

Made Officer Of The Ohio Bell



RANDOLPH ELIDE

To vice-president and general manager of The Ohio Bell Telephone Company after 14 years in the telephone business is the record of Randolph Elide, who recently was made vice-president and general manager at the meeting of the board of directors at the general offices in Cleveland. Mr. Elide has been general manager since November, 1923, having been elevated from general superintendent of traffic. Before coming to Cleveland, Mr. Elide was connected with the telephone industry in New York City, Detroit, St. Louis and Columbus. He is located at Cleveland.

DAMAGE SUIT WILL BE HEARD IN COURT HERE NEXT TUESDAY

The \$50,000 damage suit of Mildred Dickerson, former stenographer at Wilbur Wright Field against The Village of Osborn and the Miami Conservancy District will come up for trial in Common Pleas Court, Tuesday April 7.

In her suit for damages filed November 2, 1921, the plaintiff alleged that on the night of December 16, 1920, she stepped into a man hole in the sidewalk in Osborn on property line and was made an invalid from injuries sustained when she fell against a water pipe in the hole.

In her suit she claimed that she was attracted by a window display in the H. R. Kendig store which was brightly lighted. The immediate vicinity was dark and she did not notice the hole in the walk, she claimed.

The water pipe protruding from the hole caused her injuries from which she has never recovered, she claimed.

Miller and Finney and Fred B. Johnson, of Indianapolis, Ind., are attorneys for the plaintiff while Morris D. Rice for Osborn and Brown and Frank represent the Miami Conservancy district.

Ten additional prospective jurors have been drawn from the jury wheel in Common Pleas Court completing the venire of about thirty for the January term which will serve until May 1.

The ten prospective jurors are: William C. Miller, Caesar Creek Twp.; Bertha Stuckey, Cedarville Twp.; Louise G. Jones, Xenia; Clara Martin, Cedarville Twp.; Oliver Gerlaugh, Miami Twp.; Mrs. Sylpha Baber, Xenia; Amanda C. Evans, Xenia; Nellie Hastings, Cedarville Twp.; B. H. Little, Cedarville Twp.; Charles Holland, Xenia.

A jury to try the case will be picked from the venire of thirty.

GETS FINE AND WORK HOUSE SENTENCE

Farris Wallace, Springfield, was found guilty of contributing to the delinquency of a sixteen-year-old girl, at his trial in Probate Court Friday afternoon and fined \$200 and costs and given a six months sentence in the Dayton Workhouse by Judge S. C. Wright.

Wallace was returned to Xenia last Saturday by Deputy Sheriff John Baughn from Springfield where he had been arrested and pleaded not guilty to the charge of his arraignment.

PLAY VOLLEY BALL
Faculty members of Antioch College played hosts to five Wilmington College teachers in volley ball games at Yellow Springs Thursday afternoon the visitors winning the last three games after Antioch had gotten off to a good start by coping the first contest. A return game with Antioch had got Antioch the man the Antioch will be played next Monday afternoon at Wilmington College.

Market News

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs — Receipts, 4,000; market, steady to 10c lower; bulk, \$13.35@13.80; top, \$13.90; heavyweight, 250 to 325 lbs. \$3.50@13.85; medium wt., \$13.50@13.90; light weight, \$13.40@13.85; light lights \$12.50@13.65; heavy packing sows, smooth, \$12.25@12.60; packing sows, rough, \$11.75@12.25; pigs, \$11.50@13.

Cattle — Receipts, 500; market, steady; Beef Steers: choice and prime \$10.75@11.85; medium and good, \$9.50@10.50; good and choice, \$10@10.50; common and medium, \$7.50@9.50; Butcher Cattle: heifers, \$5.50@11; cows, \$4.50@7.75; bulls, \$4@7; Canners and Cutters: Cows and heifers, \$2.50@4.50; Canner steers, \$5.50@7.70; veal calves, light and handy weight, \$3.50@11.50; feeder steers, \$6@8.75; stocker steers, \$5.50@8.50; stocker cows and heifers, \$3.50@5.50; stocker calves, \$5.50@8.25.

Sheep — Receipts, 5,000; market, steady; fat lambs, \$14@16.50; lambs, culls and common, \$12@13.50; spring lambs, \$15@17; wethers, \$9.50@11; ewes, \$8.50@9.75; ewes, culls and common, \$2@4; feeder lambs, \$15.50.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK

Cattle—Supply, 50 carloads; market, steady; choice, \$10.25@10.75; prime, \$9.80@10.25; good, \$10@10.25; tidy butchers, \$8.80@9.25; fair \$8@8.75; common, \$7.50; common to good fat fat bulls, \$4@7.50; common to good fat cows, \$2.50@5.50; heifers, \$7.25@100; veal calves, 75 head; steady at \$15; heavy and thin calves, \$4@9.

Hogs—Receipts, 800; market, active 20c up; prime heavy hogs, \$14.30@14.40; mediums, \$14.30@14.40; heavy yorkers, \$14.30@14.40; light yorkers, \$13.50@13.75; pigs, \$13@13.25; roughs \$11@13; stags, \$6@7.

Sheep and Lamb—Supply, 300 head; market, steady at \$11; prime wethers, \$8.25@8.75; good mixed, \$7.50@8; fair mixed, \$6@7; culls and common, \$3@5; lambs, \$16.40.

DAYTON LIVESTOCK

HOGS

Receipts 4 cars; market, steady.
Heavies, 200 lbs. up, \$14.00
Mediums, 160-200 lbs., 13.40
Yorkers, 130-160 lbs., 12.25
Pigs, 130 lbs. down, 8.00@10.50
Stags, 5.00@8.00
Sows, 8.00@12.00

CATTLE

Receipts heavy; market slow and steady.
Best butcher steers, \$9.00@9.50
Medium butcher steers, 7.00@8.50
Best butcher heifers, 7.50@8.50
Medium heifers, 6.00@6.50
Best fat cows, 5.00@5.50
Medium cows, 4.00@5.00
Bologna cows, 2.00@3.00
Bulls, 4.50@5.50
Veal calves, 8.00@11.00

SHEEP

Spring lambs, 10.00@15.50
Sheep, 2.00@5.00

XENIA

(Faulkner and St. John)

Bulls, \$2@4.
Sheep, \$2@3.
Heavies, \$13.00.
Mediums, \$13.00.
Light yorkers \$12.00.
Pigs, \$11.00.
Stags, \$5.00.
Sows, \$10.00.
Stock heifers, \$3@4.
Stock cows, \$2@3.
Butcher steers, \$8@8.
Stock steers, \$3@5.
Butcher cows, \$3@4.
Butcher heifers, \$5@6.
Light yorkers, \$8@8.25.

GRAIN

DAYTON

Flour and Grain

(By the Durst Milling Co.)
Timothy Hay, No. 1, \$22 per ton.
Bulk Bran, \$36 per ton.
Bulk Middlings, \$40 per ton.
Straw, \$14 per ton.
Pure Chop Feed, \$57 per ton.
Cottonseed Meal, \$52 per ton.
Oil Meal, \$52 per ton.
(Prices being paid for grain at mill)
Wheat, No. 1, \$1.60.
Rye, No. 2, \$1.15 per bushel.
Corn, \$1.50 per 100 lbs.
New oats, 50c per bushel.

XENIA

(Corrected Daily)
(By The DeWine Milling Co.)
(Buying Price)

No. 1, Timothy Hay, \$12.
No. 1, Light Mixed Hay, baled \$11.
New Yellow Ear Corn, \$1.05.
No. 2 Red Winter \$1.40
No. 3, White Oats 40c.

Middlings, \$2.10.
Rye, \$1.00.
Bran, \$2.00.

PRODUCE

CLEVELAND PRODUCE MARKET

Butter, extra, 49 1-2@51 1-2.
Prints, 50 1-2@52 1-2c.
Packing, 27@28c.
Firsts, 47 1-2@48 1-2c.
Eggs, fresh, 32c.
Ohio Firsts, 29 3-4c.
Western Firsts, 29 1-2c.
Oleo, nut, 35c.
High grade animal oils, 26 1-2@27c.
Lower grades, 20@21c.
Cheese, York State, 27@28c.
Poultry, Fowls, 30@31c.
Roosters, 17@18c.
Springers, 30@31c.
Ducks, 35@38c.
Geese, 18@20c.
Apples, \$2.50@2.75.
Strawberries, 40@50c qt.
Beans, dried navy, 15c.
Cabbage, \$10@11 ton.
Potatoes, \$1.60@1.90 sack.
Sweet Potatoes, \$2.50@2.85 hamper.
Tomatoes, \$7.50@9.50 crate.
Onions, \$2.75@3 cwt.
Cucumbers, \$4.25@4.50 box.

DAYTON PRODUCE

Eggs and Poultry
Fresh Eggs—29c per dozen.

Retail Price

Fresh Eggs—35c per dozen.
Stews—50c per pound.
Spring Roasts—50c per pound.
Spring Broilers—90c per pound.
Ducks—45c per pound.
Prices Paid for Delivery at the Plant:
Five-pound Hens—28c.
Spring Roasts—28c.
Ducks on Foot—25c pound.
Young Guinea—20c pound.
Roosters—12c pound.
Fresh Eggs—25c dozen.
Fries—30c pound.

RETAIL PRICES

(Corrected by the Joe Frank Co. East 2819)

Butter—55c pound.
Eggs—30c dozen.
Roasting Chickens—45c pound.
Stewing Chickens—45c pound.
Fries—50c pound.
Boiling Chickens—28c pound.
Ducks—45c pound.
Geese—45c pound.
Turkeys—70c pound.
Live Hens—30c pound.
Live Roosters—28c pound.
Live Ducks—28c pound.
Live Geese—25c pound.
1925 Spring Broilers, 50c.

Prices Being Paid at Plant for Live Poultry and Eggs

Chickens—26c pound.
Ducks—23c pound.
Geese—18c pound.
Roosters—13c pound.
Eggs—25c dozen.

Butter

(By Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers' Association.)
Butter—50c a pound.

XENIA

Good, big chickens, 25c.
Eggs, 25c.
Leghorns, 10c.

"Dope" in Rolls



SHERIFF J.M. HANNAN

A new use for hot cross buns was discovered by Sheriff John M. Hannan, of Jersey City, when he opened one that Mrs. Benjamin Bonmosche brought to her husband in jail and found that it contained morphine. Mrs. Bonmosche joined her husband in the cooler.

HERE'S CENTRAL HIGH COURT SQUAD OF 1924-25 SEASON



The above picture shows the Central High School court combination of 1924-25 which won nine games and lost four. Front row left to right: Coach John Ballantyne, Robert Finley, forward; Ervin Rutan, forward; Captain Eugene Perrine, guard; Howell Huston, forward; Raymond Geger, guard. Back row, left to right: Ira Towles, guard; Lewis Buell, center; Abraham Rakoff, manager; Arnold Boxwell, guard; Edgar Holton, guard.

Central High School made an enviable basketball record during the 1924-25 season winning nine games and losing but four contests, three of which were by close scores.

The Xenia net artists proved their ability by scoring a total of 335 points as compared to a total of 292 points registered by opposing teams.

The 1925 team was a credit to the coaching of the new athletic director, John Ballantyne, who stepped into

the breach left vacant by Earl Burger and turned out a winning team assisted by the fact that material at hand for rebuilding a team was above par.

Led by Captain Eugene Perrine, Central made a record of five consecutive wins at the close of the regular playing season but ended the season in the state tournament losing to the Dayton Preps by five points.

The team was one of the best balanced Central has boasted of in several years, recalling to mind the year in which the team mentored by Jerry Katherman created such a stir in the state tournament.

Central made an enviable showing in its initial start of the season with Springfield, later state champs, although losing by six points and if for no other reason, the game with the Repper City team gained for Xenia a name among the best teams in the southern section of the state, and made the season a success.

Captain Perrine was the star on both defense and offense and scored almost one third of his teams' total points during the thirteen games played.

Rutan, the other forward, also shone brilliantly in several games and was runner-up to Perrine in scoring. Buell held down the difficult jumping station like a veteran while Holton, Towles and Huston left nothing to be desired on the defensive end.

EAST END NEWS
MRS. JAMES HARRIS
Correspondent
TEL. 91-R

ST. JOHN'S A. M. E. CHURCH

Preaching, 10:45 a.m., Sunday School, 12:30 p.m., Christian Endeavor League, 6 p.m. Evening service, 7 p.m.

MODISH MITZI—Goldy Locks, Let Down Your Bobbed Hair! By JAY V. JAY



To begin at the beginning you have to see Mitzi in the dishveled state that follows a shampoo. It is the time when most bobbed heads look at themselves seriously and debate what to do. Grow it or have it trimmed again? Of course, any desirable length can be acquired at a moment's notice.



Fortunately the hairdresser is not without resource and many "transformations." She has rolled some of Mitzi's hair into a coronet effect over the top of her head. She has done it with outside assistance, as one might call the chignon.

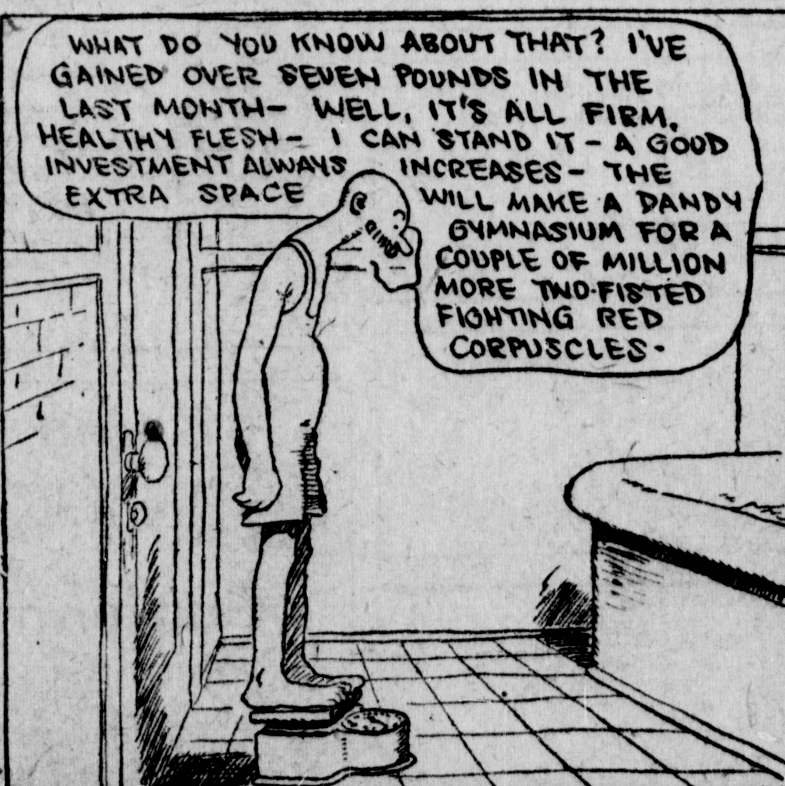


Another way to make one's coiffure different is to use a chignon it is an easy matter now to have it match properly and roll the hair at the neck all the way around the head. This is turned under and pinned in place by invisible hair pins.

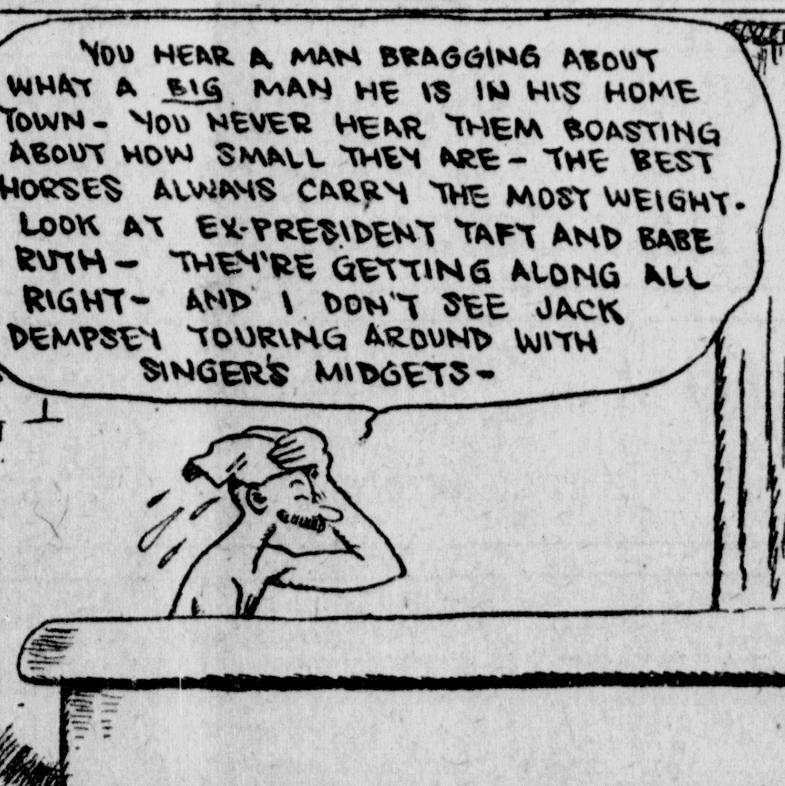


Still another way to vary one's coiffure is to enlist the sympathies of the same chignon, part the hair in the back and pin the chignon tight about the head. This gives a very unusual neckline.

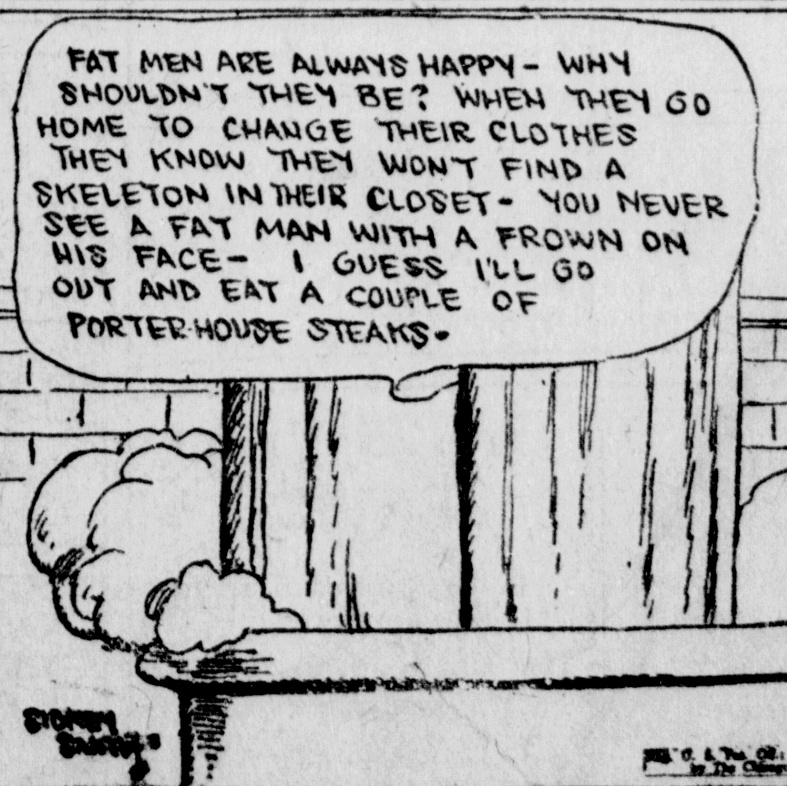
THE GUMPS—HIS POUND OF FLESH



WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THAT? I'VE GAINED OVER SEVEN POUNDS IN THE LAST MONTH—WELL, IT'S ALL FIRM, HEALTHY FLESH—I CAN STAND IT—A GOOD INVESTMENT ALWAYS INCREASES—THE WILL MAKE A DANDY GYMNASIUM FOR A COUPLE OF MILLION MORE TWO-FISTED FIGHTING RED CORPUSCLES.



YOU HEAR A MAN BRAGGING ABOUT WHAT A BIG MAN HE IS IN HIS HOME TOWN—YOU NEVER HEAR THEM BOASTING ABOUT HOW SMALL THEY ARE—THE BEST HORSES ALWAYS CARRY THE MOST WEIGHT. LOOK AT EX-PRESIDENT TAFT AND BABE RUTH—THEY'RE GETTING ALONG ALL RIGHT—AND I DON'T SEE JACK DEMPEY TOURING AROUND WITH SINGERS MIDGETS—



FAT MEN ARE ALWAYS HAPPY—WHY SHOULDN'T THEY BE? WHEN THEY GO HOME TO CHANGE THEIR CLOTHES THEY KNOW THEY WON'T FIND A SKELETON IN THEIR CLOSET—YOU NEVER SEE A FAT MAN WITH A FROWN ON HIS FACE—I GUESS I'LL GO OUT AND EAT A COUPLE OF PORTERHOUSE STEAKS—

WEEKLY BUSINESS REVIEW

Representative Firms and Products of Our City

IT IS SAID

that "ninety per cent of all business is done by check"—in such a case, the MAJORITY of business men must find it to their ADVANTAGE to have a Checking Account. Are you one of the MAJORITY, or MINORITY?

This bank cordially invites your account.

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See Homes now under Construction on No. Galloway

LARGE SHIPMENT OF SUPPLIES FOR BUILDERS HERE

The Stout Coal Company, Home Avenue and Washington Street, is "keeping the pot boiling" with supplies that will satisfy its large trade the year around. The company has recently received large shipments of general builders' supplies, including tile, cement and sewer pipe, and is now enabled to take care of a large business throughout the year. The approach of warm weather has cut down the number of coal orders and the increase of building in the city has caused a demand for builders' supplies.

The past severe winter has witnessed the sale of large quantities of high grade coal from the Stout Company including lump, egg, and domestic coal and anthracite and coke for baseburners and chicken brooders.

Crystal Block and White Ash are the leading lines handled by the company from the selling standpoint. The Stout Black, mined in Kentucky, is one of the best grades handled by the firm.

ANDERSON SHOP HANDLES FLOWER SERVICE OF WORLD

Have you a friend or relative living on the European continent to whom you would like to send a potted plant for Easter?

Perhaps you have received word of the sudden death of a dear friend in Los Angeles, Calif., and wish to tender sympathy in the form of a floral spray.

The Anderson Floral Shop, West Main Street, enables Xenians and Greene Countyans to "say it with flowers" any kind of a message to be conveyed in floral form to any part of the world through the shop's membership with the Florists Telegraph Delivery Association.

The association gives service all over the world, and members of the florists' organization everywhere are listed in a directory kept by each member. The system is similar to that of a banking system and pay is made through a clearing house.

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More than half the available lands have already been sold. For the remainder, about 13,000 acres, a new plan of selling has been offered.

Realizing that many men who wish to engage in farming for themselves have not sufficient ready cash to buy farms of good quality near the markets, the district announces a policy of selling which will make it easy for the responsible farmers to buy and pay for their farms out of their income from them. Under this plan the prices asked for farms will be the same as they would bring if sold for cash, but the buyer has to pay only 10 per cent of the total price at the time of purchase and an additional 15 per cent at the first of the following March, at the time his deed is delivered to him. The balance is to be paid off in equal installments extended over a period of sixteen years.

The interest rate will be 6 per cent, payable semi-annually. The annual payments (including interest) are such that they amount to but 7 1-2 of the total price of the farm—a rate of payment no larger than the interest alone on many loans and still the whole debt is paid off in sixteen years.

The farm land in the Miami Valley is of the best, declares officers of the Miami Conservancy, and even through the recent lean years the operation of the Conservancy farms has more than paid expenses. However, the Conservancy District was created entirely for flood control and not for farming and for this reason, it was adopted this unusual means of closing out the farm lands. As there are about 13,000 acres of farm land available for purchase under this plan in units ranging in size from a few acres to 1,800 acres each, and located in sections of the Miami Valley between Dayton and Sidney, a wide choice as to size and location is possible.

MARCH RECEIPTS SHOW DECREASE

Receipts during the month of March at the County Auditor's office fell off slightly, the monthly financial statement shows.

With a balance in the treasury February 28, of \$227,188.01, receipts during March totaled \$63,554.25, as compared to disbursements amounting to \$147,615.04, leaving a balance of \$143,111.66 March 31, 1925.

WANTS FISH—Middleport, April 4—The sportsmen's organization of Meigs County several hundred members strong is demanding that fish be supplied for the streams of the county and that a head game protector be named. There now are two deputy protectors in this district.

Junior Cross Word Puzzle

HOW TO SOLVE PUZZLE

The words start in the numbered squares and run either across or down. Only one letter is placed in each white square. If the proper words are found each combination of letters in the white squares will form words. The key to the puzzle—the first word—is given in the drawing. Below are keys to the other words.



Running Across

Word 1. A yellow bird. In the picture.

Word 4. A fat used in olden times for making candles.

Word 6. The most important organ in the body. Plural.

Running Down

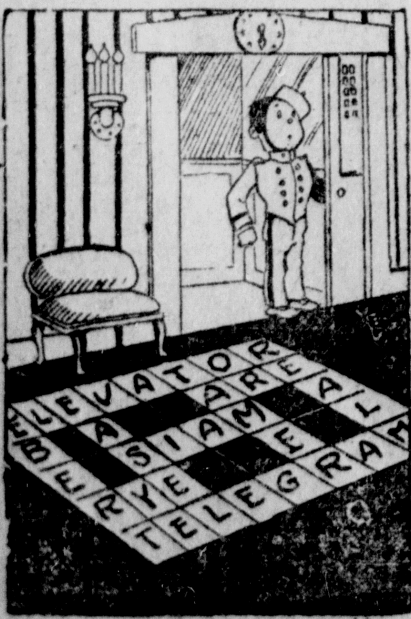
Word 1. Capture. What the cat would like to do to the bird.

Word 2. To feel sick or in pain.

Word 3. What one does when one is sleepy. Plural.

Word 5. A meadow.

YESTERDAY'S JUNIOR PUZZLE ANSWER



BRNGING UP FATHER



Michael's Marriage

By MICHAEL

CHAPTER VII.

"Surely you haven't forgotten my name, Michael! You've been calling me Miss Blanton all afternoon." She smiled at him sweetly. "You ought to know that I'm Helen to you."

Michael grinned stupidly and managed to conceal his boredom. He disliked girls he did not consider pretty, and Helen's beauty had faded for him. He wished that he might get away from her.

He had been cornered by Helen as tea was being served; that is to say, he felt as if he had been cornered. She herself had handed him his cup of tea, and afforded him no opportunity to move away with Jimmy Thyme and Lilah Pharely. He looked across at them now. He envied Jimmy the place by Lilah's side, and almost hated him for being there. How lovely Lilah was!

"Are you going to remember to call me Helen?" his companion pressed.

"Why—yes," he replied, in his embarrassment, he endeavored to be amusing. "I'll think of you as Helen of Troy."

"You're foolish as ever," she responded. She placed her cup on the tea-wagon and turned to him with a wave of enthusiasm.

"You know I haven't seen Star Lake since last year, and I'm just dying to get a breath of its pine trees again. You may drive me out there if you like."

The suggestion chilled him. He did not want to take her; and it struck him that she was being rather forward.

"Yes we'll have to go out," he assented, indefinitely. "Oh, by the way, have you seen Elaine lately?" He realized now that it was Elaine, and not Helen that had made those week-end house parties out at Star Lake so enjoyable.

"I haven't seen her for several months. You see she lives on the south side of Chicago. I live in Winnetka, on the north side, and our sets don't run across each other very often." It was to be inferred from her tone that she did not estimate either Elaine or Elaine's "set" very highly.

Michael wished that he had Elaine, jolly and thoughtful old Elaine here to talk with instead of this girl, for whom his dislike was increasing. Yesterday

he was day-dreaming about her; today he was hating her; so goes the heart.

He happened to glance in the direction of Lilah Pharely. She was alone. He looked around the room for Jimmy Thyme, but Jimmy had vanished. His eyes went back to Lilah hopelessly, as if seeking aid in escaping from Helen. He had an impulse to get up and leave Helen without a word, but found himself unable to follow it. Fortunately, one of the Peabody girls arrived, and indicated that there was a belated guest for Helen to receive. Michael fled towards Lilah with relief. To him it appeared as if she was bored with the party; this was not true; she was trying to appear as if she didn't mind being unnoticed. No one had paid any attention to her except the unorthodox Jimmy Thyme and now, Michael.

Lilah Pharely was present at this tea not because she was one of the persons the Peabodys invited to teas, but because she was a cousin of the family. The invitations she received to other homes were few, because no one recognized her as any one but a relative of the Peabodys. Lilah was not poor and she decidedly was not humble, but her father was an undertaker, a fact that had served to ostracize her in the pompous and presumptuous social circle in which the Peabodys moved. Of course, she could not help being aware of this attitude towards her. But she carried her head high, and annoyed persons with her smile.

"Tea parties are rather dull affairs, aren't they," Michael said to her casually. He had strolled up and stopped by her chair as he spoke.

She measured him quickly with a glance, and shrugged. "Yes, you'd just think that they all came to eat."

His heart warmed at the thought of having found a kindred spirit.

"I dare say you prefer dancing any time?"

Interest showed in her eyes at last. "I should say so!"

"Will you—?" He saw some of the guests leave, and an idea different from the one he had just begun to speak was born in his nimble mind. "May I drive you home?"

Her expression betrayed no surprise. For just a moment she held his eyes; then her smile freshened.

"I'm sorry but I've already promised." Their eyes met again, and Michael got the impression that she was not "already promised." He rose and left her to bid his hostess and the guests goodbye, feeling that Lilah's eyes were on his back, laughing at him.

"Damn," he mused to himself, as he started the motor of his automobile. "I'm in love with her."

He felt a curious exultation, (To be continued.)

NEW FACULTY MEMBER

Herman Schnurer will join the Antioch College faculty next year to become an instructor in French and English.

At present he is an instructor in French in the University of Arkansas. Mr. Schnurer after graduating from the Fifth Avenue High School in Pittsburgh, matriculated at the University of Pittsburgh. He received

his A.B. degree from Columbia University in 1921 and later studied at the Sorbonne in Paris, reaching his degree in 1923.

DECLINES CALL

Bucyrus, April 4—Rev. Hodge M. Eagleson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, told his parishioners that while he had been offered the pastorate of his former church, at Wellston, Ohio, at an increase in salary, he declined the offer because he felt his work was here.

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NOTORIOUS BANDIT LOSES COURT FIGHT ON MURDER CHARGE

Surprise Verdict on First
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Hartford, Conn., April 4.—Gerald Chapman, notorious super bandit was today found guilty by a jury in superior court of the murder of James Skelly, a policeman, who was shot and killed during the hold-up of a department store in New Britain, Conn., on October 12, last.

Immediately afterward the court overruled a motion of Chapman's counsel to set aside the verdict and sentenced the notorious bandit to hang June 25. Chapman was placed in the custody of the state prison warden at once.

The jury announced its verdict at 10:30 this morning. The verdict of the jury was of "guilty" of first degree murder.

The verdict came after eleven hours of deliberation. Chapman listened to his doom with cold grey eyes. His face was ashen beneath a prison pallor, but his eyes were ice. Half way through the reading of the fatal words, the bandit smiled or sneered, one could not tell.

Turning to his counsel, Judge Frederick Groehl, Chapman murmured: "You did your best, Judge."

Chapman had felt that he would not be sent to the gallows. He had expressed himself as believing that the rather lengthy deliberation of the jury meant that there would be a disagreement, if not a more favorable verdict.

There was a profound silence in the court room as the twelve jurors filed slowly into the jury box. After the roll call of the jury, Lucius P. Fuller, court clerk, asked:

"Gentlemen of the jury, have you reached a verdict?"

Samuel Chamberlain, jury foreman, stood up.

"We have," he replied, his voice trembling.

Chamberlain handed a sealed envelope to the clerk.

"What is it?" the clerk asked.

"Guilty," said Chamberlain.

Walter S. Case, jury number five, kept mumbling "guilty! guilty! guilty!"

The foreman might have whispered the reply for all in the courtroom would have heard it.

Judge Jennings thanked the jury for their conduct during the trial and said the verdict met with his approval.

"I congratulate you gentlemen and believe the verdict in this case is just," said Judge Jennings. He then dismissed the jury.

Prosecutor Hugh M. Alcorn rose and said:

"I move for an immediate sentence."

Counsel for Chapman asked for time to prepare a motion.

Judge Jennings granted the request and adjourned court for half an hour.

Chapman, who received his fate standing behind the screened enclosure leading to the courtroom "pen" below, accepted the sympathetic remarks from the associate counsel with out emotion.

"That's all right," he said to Nathan Freedman. "Don't worry. It's all right."

The bandit murderer was taken downstairs immediately and handcuffed to await the moment of sentence.

The jury only took one ballot in arriving at its verdict, it was learned.

The verdict came as a surprise to the judge, court attendants and spectators.

The jury had come an hour earlier than requested to pass on the fate of Chapman.

The betting in Hartford hotels and poolrooms favored Chapman up to the time of the verdict. The odds in general were 5 to 1 against conviction. A bet of \$500 to \$100 was made by a leading insurance man that Chapman would not hang.

BROTHER OF XENIAN DIES AT WASHINGTON

Wilbur Swartz, 33, brother of Clayton Swartz, this city, died at his home in Washington, D. C., Saturday morning at 2 o'clock, after a lingering illness from a complication of diseases.

He is survived by his widow, three children, his parents, two sisters, Mrs. Wilbur Dye, of Troy, O., Mrs. Rudy Shaffer, Komono, Ind., and one brother, Clayton Swartz, of Xenia.

Funeral services have not been arranged.

TO INCREASE GARDENS

Martins Ferry, April 4.—The slump in the mining industry is expected to result in increased gardening through out Eastern Ohio, providing the mines do not resume before the planting season is over, according to one of the proprietors of a local firm operating extensive hotbeds. It was pointed out that in strike years gardening has been one of the principal occupations of idle miners. It is expected that many big gardens will be planted this year.

GOVERNOR SCORES BROWN GAS TAX BILL WHILE EXERCISING HIS VETO

Dazzled Him Into Marriage?



The beauty of Miss Reba Lawrence (above), so dazzled Marcus Coleman McDermott, movie actor, according to his statement that he married her in Chicago in what he called a state of amnesia. McDermott, who has a wife and baby, will be taken to Atlanta, Ga., where it is expected he will be charged with violation of the Mann White Slave Act.

BELIEVE WEEKS MAY RESIGN DUE TO ILL HEALTH—HILLES IS MENTIONED

Visit of National Committeeman To White House Leads To Report—Change May Result In Shift Of New To War Cabinet Position

Washington, April 4.—Further improvement was noted today in the condition of Secretary of War John W. Weeks who suffered a slight stroke Monday, causing partial paralysis.

Because of his ill health, it is expected that Secretary Weeks will resign his cabinet post sometime before June 30.

Charles D. Hilles, Republican national committeeman from New York, who is among those most prominently mentioned as likely successors to Weeks at the White House this morning and his presence there led to reports that he has already been selected by the president to take the war portfolio.

Hilles has been considered for a number of cabinet posts, both under the Harding and Coolidge administrations.

The New York Republican leader is credited with a desire to be postmaster general, however, instead of Secretary of War and the suggestion was advanced in some quarters that Harry S. New might be shifted over to the war department and Hilles given the postoffice department.

New was an aspirant for the war

department post at the time of his selection as postmaster general.

The resignation of Secretary Weeks affords President Coolidge an opportunity to again appoint Charles B. Warren of Michigan, to his cabinet, should he desire, and should Warren be willing. In the savage fight on his appointment as attorney general, several of his opponents declared they would approve Warren for any other post in the cabinet except that of attorney general.

If Warren wants "vindication" for his having twice been defeated in the senate for the attorney generalship, the belief prevails that President Coolidge would offer it to him.

ELKS TO INSTALL OFFICERS MONDAY

Installation of officers of Xenia Lodge, No. 668, B. P. O. E., will be held Monday evening, April 6, it is announced.

At the recent election, A. C. Garwood was elected Exalted Ruler; James P. Kyle, Leading Knight; Joseph Day, Lecturing Knight; William Purdon, Loyal Knight and James D. Adams, Tyler. Jacob Kany was elected to the board of trustees, the other members of which are Omer Parker and F. W. Sanger.

Refreshments will be served by Mr. Kany after the installation. A full attendance of lodge members is desired.

AUTOIST CONVICTED

Cincinnati, O., April 4.—After three hours deliberation a jury last night convicted William Rosenthal, 18, Mount Healthy, of manslaughter for the death of Mrs. Louise Fox, 63, November 1, last when Rosenthal's auto ran her down on Springdale Pike.

The slain man was about thirty years old. Police believe he was

an actor. There were two bullet wounds in the left side of the man's head. Nothing found on his person indicated his identity.

At the hospital, physicians examining the dead man found his coat ripped up the back, apparently with a knife.

Detectives investigating the killing found the man had entered a night life cafe in the white

MEASURE DECEIVES INSTEAD OF HELPS DONAHAY DECLARES

Virtually Invites Referendum On Act—Says Bill Misleads Farmers

Columbus, April 4.—Governor Donahay today vetoed the Brown gasoline tax act, at the same time characterizing it as "at best a mis-shapen, unscientific hodge-podge—a measure of deception and trickery against the interests of the mudbound communities of the state, which need help instead of another contemptuous joke."

The governor attacked the measure as a "new tax raising measure not predicated on public approval at an election," and virtually invited a referendum on the measure when he said the act "is of sufficient public importance to warrant submission to the people."

"Allegedly designed to lift the farmer out of the mud, the bill actually provides merely that the state shall keep him out of the mud after he first helps himself out by having his intercounty roads improved at the expense of the local property taxes," the governor declared.

Pointing out that the Brown act cuts auto tag fees 50 per cent from the \$12,000,000 expected for the current year and citing the highways department estimate that the gas tax would yield \$12,000,000 next year, the governor charged that the amount which the public would pay would be "even greater," because an indirect tax always creates the incentive and excuse for extracting from the people a greater sum than is paid to the government.

Supporting his contention that the measure should be passed upon by the voters, the governor also declared that "if there is to be a gasoline tax by act of the general assembly, there should have been a repeal of the present registration fee, except a nominal one—just enough to pay for administrative cost of manufacture and issuance of license tags." He charged the public "now pays a terrific overhead expense for collecting the auto registration fee, citing the item of \$604,795 carried in the current general appropriation bill for operation of the registration division of the secretary of state's office."

"Without abolishing or reducing this, you pass the gasoline tax bill with a demand for another army of tax collectors, checkers, auditors and inspectors at great expense, further pyramiding our already too heavy government," the governor charged. He suggested most of the auto registration work "might have been transferred to the Ohio penitentiary" where the work could be done by prisoners practically without cost to the tax payers.

Calling the Brown act a "creature of compromise and bated," the governor said the proposed distribution of the proceeds of the tax—45 percent to state, 30 per cent to cities and 25 percent to counties—is novel, to say the least.

"My own opinion is that, if there is to be a gasoline tax in Ohio, the entire proceeds should be at the disposal of the state highway department, to be expended anywhere on the inter-county system, in strictly rural sections the governor declared. He showed this and through municipalities alike" was generally the case in the five border states where a gasoline tax is in force.

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MAY ERECT HOSPITAL

Warren, April 4.—Voters in Trumbull County will be asked next November to pass a bond issue for \$100,000 for the purpose of erecting a tuberculosis hospital here. When completed, the hospital will consist of 50 beds and will be the finest in this part of the state. Tuberculosis patients now are sent to hospitals scattered in various cities throughout the state, at a cost to the county of \$15 a week.

TOLEDO MAYOR ILL
Toledo, O., April 4.—Bernard Brough, Toledo's bachelor mayor, is confined to the Toledo Hospital today suffering from a complete nervous breakdown. His physician says Brough's condition is serious.

POSTAL ROBBER IS CAUGHT AFTER FIGHT

Paris, Tenn., April 4.—Following a gun battle of more than an hour during which he and two federal officials received minor wounds, Ernest Gallion, wanted for a \$75,000 postoffice robbery in Mayfield, Ky., October, 1923, was enroute to Memphis today in custody of United States Deputy Marshal.

Gallion was recaptured near here last night after he had barricaded himself in the woods and stood off half a score officers until rifles of high power were brought into play.

DUMP CAUSES SUIT

Martins Ferry, April 4.—Claiming her health was injured because of smoke, fumes and gas issuing from a dump of burning stone and slate, near her home, Lulu Steel has filed suit against the Rall and River Coal Company, near Clainsville, for \$3,000 alleged damages. She also asked for an injunction preventing the company from continuing to permit the dump to burn.

MRS. DENNISTOUN MAY SEEK FUNDS IN AMERICA AFTER COURT RULING

Disappointed By Action Of Judge After Jury Found In Her Favor—Indicates She Will Not Appeal—Receives Many Letters Of Sympathy

London, April 4.—Mrs. Dorothy Dennistoun may seek fortune in a commercial career in America, or open an antique shop in London she told International News Service in an exclusive interview today.

"Wonderful letters from unknown American sympathizers, together with glowing accounts of America, she has received, may send her westward she declared, to hunt the financial success the suit against her former husband failed to bring. The pretty divorcee, whose testimony of "love sacrifices" for Colonel Ian Dennistoun thrilled social London expressed keenest disappointment in

FOUR KILLED AT RAIL CROSSING

Michigan Central Train Hits Loaded Automobile

Jackson, Mich., April 4.—Four men are dead here today as a result of a collision between the fast Michigan Central passenger train and an automobile in which they were riding, at Grass Lake.

They are:

Peter Ehrig and George W. Bright, both of Jackson; Frank Farr and Vern Tibbels, both of Grass Lake.

JAMESTOWN HAS COLUMN ALL ITS OWN

All Jamestown and vicinity will be interested in the new Jamestown column of classified ads which appears on the classified page for the first time today. Jamestown people should read this column daily for announcements important to readers of that vicinity. It will be of great benefit to all.

Jamestown ads may be placed to 111 and charged. The low cash rate will apply if ads are paid within seven days.

JAMAICA IS OUT

Columbus, April 4.—Many Ohio druggists voluntarily have discontinued the sale of Jamaica ginger and so-called liquor substitutes because of their wide use as beverages, said Theo. D. Wetterstrom, secretary, Ohio State Pharmaceutical Association. The situation, he declared, is becoming extremely serious. He blames this condition, in large measure, upon stores which, while not bonafide drug stores, advertise themselves as such, it was claimed.

W. W. CULP



W. W. Culp, formerly of Spring Valley, is reported to have eloped the second time with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Culp, 22, of Nappanee, Ind. While at Spring Valley eloped with a choir singer.

EX-SPRING VALLEY MINISTER HAS AGAIN DESERTED HIS WIFE

Admits One Excursion With
Sister-in-Law — Now
Gone Second Time

W. W. Culp, 40, of 2804 Pleasant Street, South Bend, who was pastor of the Spring Valley M. E. Church, eloped with an 18-year-old choir singer and set the police of several states on his trail, is thought to have again succumbed to the appeal of free love.

Culp is believed now to have eloped with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Culp, 22, of Nappanee, Ind., wife of his brother, Clio Culp, 27, the pair simultaneously disappearing a week ago. Belief that they eloped is increased by the fact that they admitted an elopement a month ago, during which time they spent two weeks together in Chicago, and then returned penniless to their respective homes.

Information to this effect has been received by Probate Judge S. C. Wright from William E. Miller, chief probation officer of St. Joseph County, South Bend, Ind., who is now searching for the pair. Culp has deserted his wife and ten children, one having been born to them since their Spring Valley escapade, while the woman left her husband and two small children at Nappanee.

The affair between Culp and his sister-in-law is said to have grown following a visit Clio Culp and his wife paid to the South Bend Culp's seven weeks ago. Culp is believed to have been attracted to his young sister-in-law by her resemblance to the girl of his earlier adventure along romantic pathways.

Three weeks after the visit, Culp disappeared from his home in South Bend and his sister-in-law left her home in Nappanee. Two weeks later they returned penniless. Dorothy admitted to her husband and Culp confessed to his wife that they had obtained a room in Chicago and lived there two weeks while both were employed.

On their return, both promised to do much better in the future. After remaining at their homes a week, Culp and Dorothy again disappeared, this time taking all their clothing with them, a thing they neglected to do when they left the first time. It is now believed they returned to get their personal belongings. They have now been gone a week and no information has been received from them.

Culp's oldest child, Florence, aged 17 years, is employed at housework in South Bend and received \$7 a week while Gladys, 16, is paid \$5 for doing housework. Harley, 12, is living with a farmer near Wakarusa, Ind., for the summer and Mrs. Culp and the seven children have no means of support, it is said. Judge Wright advised Miller to prosecute Culp under the new charge if caught, although the old case is pending here.

Following his elopement from Spring Valley with a mortgaged automobile in June, 1922, Culp and the girl were apprehended in Michigan. Culp was returned here to face a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor while the girl was turned over to her parents. Culp pleaded guilty to the charge July 18, 1922 and was fined \$500 and costs and sentenced to a year in the Dayton Workhouse by former Probate Judge J. C. Marshall.

However Culp only served a few days in the Work House when he obtained his release on habeas corpus proceedings based on a technical error in the printing of the commitment papers. The error was in the fact that the name "Greene County," although appearing at the head of the papers, did not reappear in the body of the document.

Following his release Culp took his family to Nappanee where he worked in a cabinet factory. But for more than a year his family employed and living in South Bend, where he earned \$30 a week. He formerly lived at 923 Hendricks Street, Mishawaka, St. Joseph County, but sold his equity in that property for \$50 and contracted to buy the house at 2804 Pleasant Street, where he has been living.

DISEASE ALLEGED

Logan, April 4.—The smallpox and scarlet fever scare here, which has been considerable during the past few weeks, is being allayed. There now are no cases of smallpox in Hocking County. In several nearby counties the disease exists but is being closely guarded against.

MANY CZECHS

St. Clairsville, April 4.—Of the foreigners receiving naturalization papers in Belmont County common pleas court here recently, 25 per cent were citizens of Czechoslovakia. Poland ranked second, with 18 per cent, while Germany, Austria-Hungary and Ireland, which, formerly, were leaders, had only 4 or 5 per cent.

ADMITS HE'S DEAD

Elvira, April 4.—George Sabolich, 40, Logan, insists he has been dead 15 years and demands collection of his insurance money so that he can have a good time. Judge H. C. Wright sent him to the state asylum at Massillon.

SPEEDING TAXI CARRIES DEAD MAN FOR FARE

New York, April 4.—A taxicab rushing to Roosevelt Hospital early today carried a dead man for a fare, it was disclosed when Wm. O'Connell, the driver, reached the hospital with the man whom two well dressed men had pushed into his cab, saying he had been hurt in an accident. The slain man was about thirty years old. Police believe he was

an actor. There were two bullet wounds in the left side of the man's head. Nothing found on his person indicated his identity.

At the hospital, physicians examining the dead man found his coat ripped up the back, apparently with a knife.

Detectives investigating the killing found the man had entered a night life cafe in the white

light district shortly before he was placed in the cab and had approached a table where two men and two women were sitting. Police are seeking this quartet.

It was said that one of the men got up from the table and led the man to the street and that shortly afterward, shots were heard.

MEASURE DECEIVES INSTEAD OF HELPS DONAHEY DECLARES

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"There has been much misleading propaganda to convince the farmers that this bill was enacted for their special benefit," the governor said. "A glance shows this to be a snare and delusion. In fact the farmers are offered a hamstrung pittance on terms and conditions which are little short of insulting."

He pointed out that gas tax money was to be spent on intercounty roads, only after they have first been improved by local taxes.

"If the counties haven't had the funds in the past to improve these roads, how are they to get the funds now to make their roads eligible to profit from the gasoline tax maintenance fund?" the governor asked.

"In this respect, the bill merely serves to cudgel the farmers living on unimproved roads into paying more local taxes for highway purposes. The governor also reminded the legislature that none of the gas tax could be used for improvement of bridges or culverts, or to change or improve the type of construction of roads taken over by the state.

"A more carefully circumscribed tax, restricted in such a way as to deprive the farmer of every advantage, is hardly conceivable," the governor asserted. The bill has been adroitly misrepresented, to make farmers believe the gasoline tax will be a panacea for all their road ills when, in fact, it is artfully drawn and designed so as to extract from them more property taxes than ever for road improvement work.

"I do not believe the farmer is anxious to be charged a gas tax of two cents a gallon for the privilege of paying other additional taxes to improve the roads he uses—nearly all of his gasoline taxes meanwhile being spent for the maintenance of high priced pavements worn out by pleasure seekers and commercial trucking concerns.

"Ohio's 10,000 mile system of highways is little more than half improved. We have our intercity boulevards. The unimproved half is in the farming communities. A state highway levy of which the farmer contributed a substantial share, paid for the boulevards. Then the general assembly abolished the state levy, letting the farmers stick in the mud.

"Now the general assembly, actuated by apparently the same motives, attempts to enact a gasoline tax for the benefit of the boulevards, again letting the farmer stick in the mud until he first improves his own roads by his own local taxes. Instead of giving consideration to the farmer, the general assembly, willingly or unwittingly attempts to fasten on the state of Ohio an octopus for the benefit of hard surface paving material interests."

XENIA RESERVES TO REPRESENT CITY ON DIAMOND THIS YEAR

With re-organization effected and the club merged with the Xenia Athletic Club, the Xenia Reserves baseball team under the management of Jess Chambliss will again cavort on the Washington Park diamond this season.

New uniforms have been purchased for the team, new bill boards erected in center field and a new ticket booth constructed, in the way of improvements.

Manager Chambliss announces that a game will be played at Washington Park April 12 which fans may attend free of charge to look the local prospects over.

The Reserves are booking nothing but high class teams again this season. Games have been scheduled with The Medway Collegians and the Hamilton Clarks, both top-notchers.

All players, both new recruits and former regulars, who desire to try out for berths on the nine, are asked to come to Washington Park Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock for the last drill before the opening practice game Sunday, April 12.

HAS CITY PARK
Defiance, April 4—Title to that portion of the site of Old Fort Winchester, located on the west bank of the Auglaize River between Second and Fort Streets, adjoining the site of Fort Defiance, will lodge with the city of Defiance as long as it is maintained as a public park, according to terms of the deed, filed recently.

THE WORST IS YET TO COME



BOWERSVILLE WILL BE BACK THIS YEAR WITH STRONG TEAM

The Bowersville Bayliffs baseball team under the management of Bert Bowermeister, of Bowersville, has re-organized for the coming diamond season and will schedule games with only first class teams this season.

Games will be played on Sunday this year and the season will not officially open before the first Sunday in May.

Several new faces may be seen in the opening lineup which will be announced later but a majority of the former regulars that composed the team last year are back in the fold. Practice has been started on the Bowersville diamond and initial drills are going forward smoothly with indications that the Bayliffs will present a strong nine this season.

Attempts are being made to arrange games with the Medway Collegians, Washington C. H. and a Xenia team while other nines will be added to the schedule as the season progresses.

WICAL SIGNS WITH BLUE RIDGE TEAM

Thurman Wical, former star pitcher for Bloomington, Ill., and Cairo, Ill., in the Kitty League, has signed up for mound duty with the Chambersburg, Pa., baseball team in the Blue Ridge League, and will leave for that city before April 10.

Wical has been actively associated with the diamond pastime for a number of years and last year won a majority of his games pitching for Greenfield, which placed second in the Western Ohio League.

In signing up with Chambersburg, Wical is stepping into a higher division and better class of professional baseball teams and should assist his new teams materially in its pennant race.

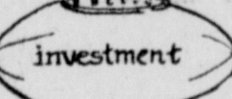
MONEY AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in
Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds
and Investments

THESE GAMES

HAVE

DIFFERENT RULES



If you were playing baseball, you would not try to use football rules; if you are an investor, do not try to speculate—the rules are entirely different.

Both speculation and investment have a very legitimate place in our financial structure. However, it is only rarely that a man who has a successful working knowledge of one is even decently acquainted with the other. Most of us belong in the investors' class because that is the sure, certain, constructive way to achieve financial independence. The returns from investment are smaller, but infinitely surer than from speculation.

It is little short of criminal for the untrained man to speculate no matter if he has money he doesn't mind losing. It is a little worse than criminal for the average man with family responsibilities to speculate, because he cannot afford to lose, and he most generally does lose. These losses often wipe out the investments and savings of many years.

Remember—it is comparatively easy to get sound, expert advice on investing (thereby increasing your safety), but speculation requires years of active practice and trading by the speculator to grasp even its fundamentals.

COMING EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

Copy will be accepted for this column up to 10 A. M. daily and run without charge. Telephone 70.

Monday
Xenia P. O. E.
Phi Delta Kappa
Modern Woodmen
P. O. E.
Shawnee L. O. O. F.
R. and S. M.
Tuesday
Rotary
Kiwanis
Xenia L. O. O. F.
Obed. D. of A.
Moore Legion
K. of C.
Wednesday
Church Prayer Meets
J. O. U. A. M.
K. of P.
L. O. M.
Co. L. Drill
Thursday
Co. L. Band
Red Men
P. of X. D. of A.
Rebekahs
Friday
Eagles
Maccabees

WILBERFORCE

Bishop W. J. Walls of the A. M. E. Zion Church, Charlotte, N. C., who was attending the National Interracial Conference last week in Cincinnati, was the guest of Prof. and Mrs. Chas. Points, Jr., Monday.

Mr. Carlton Wesley of the firm of Chandler, Atkins and Wesley, corporation lawyers of Muskogee, Okla., is in the village looking after oil interests of several students who are owners of valuable oil lands in Oklahoma. Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Wallace of Richmond, Ind., visited their daughter, Mrs. Charles Martin, last Saturday. They were accompanied by Rev. Benson of Indianapolis.

The legislature last week confirmed three new trustees of the C. N. I. Trustee Board in the persons of Dr. Jos. L. Johnson of Columbus, Hon. Harry Smith, editor of the Cleveland Gazette and Captain Walter Thomas of Mansfield, Ohio.

Mr. H. L. Seaman, Field Secretary for the Y. M. C. A. for the state of Ohio, gave the local branch a visit last week. He delivered a very interesting address to the members of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. in the parlors of Shorter Hall. On Friday evening the young men of the Alpha Frat-House gave him a stag reception and light refreshments were served. At the chapel services Saturday morning he again spoke to the student

body and told them of the needs of well trained young men and women to take charge of associations throughout the country. He laid stress on the necessity of a regular Y building at the school for the accommodation of the students interested in Christian work.

The many friends of Miss Kittie Fenner, instructor in Grade Teaching in the Normal Department, were agreeably surprised Friday when they received an announcement card from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dixie Fenner of Vauxhall, N. J., announcing the marriage of their daughter, to Mr. Robert Patrick Jones of Cincinnati, Ohio, on Monday, September 23, 1924. The young couple will be at home in Vauxhall, N. J., after June 18th.

Miss Fenner is one of the popular young lady teachers of the General Faculty. She is a graduate of the State Normal School of New Jersey and served as a teacher in the public schools of Gouldtown, N. J. She has been connected with the Normal Department since September, 1922. The teachers and numerous friends extend to the bride and groom their hearty congratulations.

The Y. W. C. A. on recommendation of the State Committee, elected for the year following new officers: President, Miss Gloria Fields, Vice President, Miss Lascia J. Aycock, Secretary, Miss Alma Ford, Corresponding Secretary, Miss Marie McIngham, Treasurer, Mrs. Charles Smith, Under Graduate Girls, Miss Sunie Steele, Pianist, Miss Annette Sharp.

One of the most unique affairs of the season was a Cross-Word Puzzle Party given by the members of the Builders' Club of the Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Kappa Chapter of the University, in Shorter Hall on Monday evening. The cross-word scheme and club colors were carried out in gold and green colors, and in the middle of the room was a beautiful cross-word design suspended from the ceiling lighted with an electric bulb showing the words, 'Builders' Club, Welcome.' The guests were furnished with favors which consisted of cross-word puzzle caps and small dictionaries tied with ribbon bows in the colors of the Club. Miss Helen Davis, the President gave an address. Responses were made by Miss Rebecca Curtis, Ivy Leaf Club, Miss Ruth Kuykendall, Pyramid Club, Mr. David Cornick, Lampadus Club, Mr. Randolph Ward, Sphinx Club, and Mrs. Carl Hamlet, Scrooler's Club. The menu consisted of Cross Word Salad, Puz-

zle Waters, Builder's Cross Word Puzzle Punch, Cross Word Ice Cream Puzzle Cake and Mints.

Bowling

Thornhill's "5" crashed the maples for a three game total of 2,645 in taking three straight games from the Wilsons team Friday night in the bowling league.

Earl Short gathered the most pins for the winners with a total of 578 and again rolled high single score with 213. Box score:

Wilson	141	143	160
F. Horner	147	164	152
W. C. Horner	149	147	157
W. Horner	179	149	177
Anderson	152	148	160
Gannon	152	148	160

Total 785 751 806

Thornhill's	189	205	14
Swisher	184	213	181
Short	201	161	139
Mitchell	158	180	208
Stevens	159	158	165
D. Smith	159	158	165

Total 891 917 837

REAL ESTATE

The Miami Conservancy District to the Nypano Railroad Company, complete right of way, thirty-two deeds. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Oscar Myers and Etta Myers, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Bernhard and Karalina Vallmer, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Olena E. Lewis and Lawrence C. Ross, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Mrs. Esther Williams, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Ralph E. P. Lee, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

The International Development Company to Louis Jauch, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

Elmer T. Stoll and Adda T. Stoll to Tabitha Hall and Lawrence Hall property in Clifton Village \$1.00

George H. Snyder to Franklin

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Included are new two color pumps in patent leather and tan, and cutout and one strap styles in patent leather, satin or tan calf. Also many oxfords. Every one a bargain. A large assortment from which to select.

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Children's Shoes

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BOYS' LOW SHOES
mostly in tan, broad toed styles.

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TAN WELT DRESS OXFORDS
Good looking and service-giving. Great bargains at.

\$3.49

Moser's Shoe Store

S. DETROIT STREET

Youngerman, property in Osborn Village. \$1.00

George H. Snyder to William Calvin Poole and Mary Parker Poole, property in Bath Township. \$1.00

Grace Madden and D. K. Wolf by M. L. Wolf, Atty., to Owen White, city property \$1.00.

Mabel E. Kendig to Cora Kendig, property in Yellow Springs Village. \$1.00

James J. McBride to Wella Shipley, city property. \$1.00.

Eliza O. Bannon, formerly Eliza Howard to Clayton Howard, property in Greene County. \$1.00.

Mary T. Lampert to Todd E. Lowry and Edna Lowry, city property. \$1.00.

The Wilson Engineering and Contracting Company to The Aquatic Company, city property. \$1.00.

William See and Estella See to

Charles L. and Edna C. Carr, property in Yellow Springs Village. \$1.00.

Nancy Jane Longstreth to Charles I. Beaver and Starling L. Good, property in Bath Township. \$1.00.

Frederick P. Baldner and Anna D. Baldner to Lester E. Swigart, lot in Dodds Addition. \$1.00.

Theresa M. Karch and H. L. Karch to O. M. Hurley, city property. \$1.00.

Thomas J. and Margaret Ridenour to Mary A. Murray, property in Yellow Springs Village. \$1.00.

C. A. Wallace to Mary A. Murray, property in Yellow Springs Village. \$1.00.

Florence E. Stewart, Emma Gletfelter, Beale Rock, Roy Feirstine and Harold Feirstine to Guy C. Coy, property in Beavercreek Township. \$1.00.

SECOND United Presbyterian CHURCH

Sermon by the Pastor

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7 P. M.—Sabbath—7 P. M.
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Social-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visit through this page when ever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

CLEVER PROGRAM IS GIVEN BY BIBLE CLASS

The Berean Bible Class entertained some of their friends with a dinner at the First Reformed Church, Thursday evening. The tables were laid in the social hall of the church, in the form of a large cross, at which fifty-four young women were seated.

The color scheme was yellow and white. Jonquils and forsythia being used in profusion. After the dinner, the regular business of the class was transacted. Mrs. Edwin Buck, the president, presiding. The guests were then invited into the Sunday School room which had been transformed in appearance to resemble a huge living room; rugs, tables, lamps and easy chairs, replacing the usual furnishing of the room.

Here, a radio program was enjoyed, which was prepared especially for the occasion and was broadcast by "Station SSBSC" (Scripture Searching Bereans' Sunday School Class). The opening number was a cleverly written "How Do You Do" song, by Mrs. John Eavey and sung by a chorus. This class has one unusual talent in it and both the musical numbers and readings deserve special mention.

Another feature which added much amusement was a picture show. These pictures were taken of different members of the class in childhood and thrown upon a sheet by the aid of an electric lantern.

Other games followed and a general good time was enjoyed.

BIRTHDAY REMEMBERED BY FRIENDS AT PARTY

Honoring the seventeenth birth anniversary of Miss Gladys Davis, her schoolmates and friends arranged a complete surprise at the Davis home near Bellbrook, Tuesday evening. A social time was enjoyed throughout the evening. Sandwiches, pickles and cake were served.

Those present were: the Misses Nellie Fauber, Mary Weicher, Hallie Holland, Alice Ryne, Elsie and Alice Lindamood, Charlotte Huston, Dorothy Villars, Dora Avey, Corinne Murphy, Cleo Stephens, Lemna Smith, Kathryn Gibson, Edna and Stella Hopkins, Louise Berryhill, Lillian Johnson, Frances Wright, Gladys Davis and Messrs. William Shaw, Carl Fauber, Lewis Overstake, George Stubbs, William Turner, Elsworth Glatfelter, Chris Weicher, Sam and Chilton Bowles, Wayne Peterson, Spencer Swartz, Dick and Ralph Edgington, Kenneth Huston, Harold Murphy, Gordon Graff, Paul Huston, Lawrence Crowl, John and Wayne Black, Pat Holland, Tim Black, Carroll Berryhill, Dick Hunt, Paul Swartz, Clyde Gibbons, Clifford Davis and Mr. and Mrs. John Davis.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE AT COUNTRY HOME

Friends and neighbors gathered together and surprised Mr. Lennie Luttrell at his home near New Jasper Tuesday evening. Many games were played and enjoyed by all the guests. Ice cream and cake were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Fudge and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Huston and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Henderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean, Mr. Herbert Dean and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hook and family, Mr. Fred Bales and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shuttles and family, Mrs. Will Jenkins and daughter, Ruth Ann, Mr. Fitzpatrick and daughter Merle, Mrs. Frank Sheets and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McClellan and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Luttrell and family.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HOLDS SOCIAL GATHERING

Nineteen members of Mrs. J. Thorb Charters Sunday School Class of the First M. E. Church, enjoyed a dinner party at the home of the Misses Lois and Olive Benbow, North Galloway Street, Friday evening.

The guests each brought their contribution of delicacies and a varied and complete menu was served. The dinner was served buffet style and the informality of the gathering added to its pleasure.

The remainder of the evening was spent in a social way.

BANQUET PLANS COMPLETE

The committee in charge of the "Father and Son" banquet at the Odd Fellows Hall, Tuesday evening, April 7, has completed the plans and promises a good social time. Members of the lodge are urged to bring a boy and enjoy the evening's entertainment.

The Muskingum College Girls' Glee Club, which appears for a concert at the Second U. P. Church, this city, Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock, gave a concert in Dayton, Friday night and was enthusiastically received. The club was asked to repeat its program at the N. C. R. Hall, Dayton, Saturday at noon. The local concert is free to the public.

Miss Catherine Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Miller, who attends Hood College, Frederick, Md., is home for her spring vacation.

The Missionary Society of the First Reformed Church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. E. Schmidt Wednesday, April 18, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Edna Yeazell and family, of Springfield, are moving to Clifton to reside with Mrs. Yeazell's mother, Mrs. Mary Boolman.

Miss Mary Hester, of London, Ohio, is spending a few days in this city with friends.

Mr. Thomas Hollencamp arrived in Xenia Friday evening to be with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hollencamp of East Second Street, for the Spring vacation. He is a student at Miami University.

Regular meeting of Triumph Temple No. 467 will be held Tuesday April 7, at 7:30 o'clock. Initiation will be held and refreshments served.

Mrs. Jacob Smith is confined to her home on South Detroit Street, with an attack of grip.

Robert Ayers of the Springfield Pike, while attending a church supper, Friday evening, met with what might have been a fatal accident. A group of boys while playing struck him in the eye, breaking his glasses and cutting a deep gash in the eye lid. It is hoped that the sight of the boy is not injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chambliss of 30 Charles Street are announcing the birth of a son, Sunday morning. The little one has been named James Eugene.

Miss Winifred Savage, teacher in the East Cleveland Schools has been spending a week's Spring vacation at her home in this city. Miss Henrietta Evers, teacher at the Painesville Normal School who has been visiting at her home and Miss Savage will return to their work Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Anderson, of the Anderson Floral Shop, is confined to her home on West Market Street, with a severe cold.

Mrs. John Dodds, West Third Street, has returned from Springfield and Dayton, where she spent three weeks with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fuller of Clyde, O., are the week end guests of Mrs. Fuller's sister, Mrs. Martha Bell, and Mrs. Laurel Thomas, of West Main Street.

Miss Olive H. Huston, teacher in the Dayton City Schools, is spending a week's Spring vacation at her home in this city.

Miss Amanda Powell and Miss Thelma Powell moved Friday from East Third Street, to the McClelland Apartments, on West Second Street.

The Lal Bagh Missionary Society of Trinity M. E. Church, will meet with Mrs. Clara Reutinger, 123 1-2 West Market Street, next Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

Judge and Mrs. Benson W. Hough, Columbus, O., will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wolf, North King Street. Judge Hough will go to Nashville, Tenn., to hold court three weeks, and Mrs. Hough will be accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Sarah Markel.

Mrs. O. J. Lowe will entertain members of her card club at her home on South King Street, Tuesday afternoon. Guests for three tables of five hundred will be received.

Mr. Frank Wolf, East Church Street, who has been a patient at the Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, for several weeks, following an operation, was taken suddenly worse, Friday night and members of his family called to his bedside. His serious condition is caused by a blood clot.

Mrs. Albert Gregory, Mrs. H. R. Swisher and baby, have been spending several days with relatives in Richmond, Ind. Mr. Swisher will join them Sunday for the return trip.

Mrs. L. A. Anderson, of the Burlington Pike, who has been remaining at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Anderson, South Detroit Street, while recovering from an operation, will return to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Filson and family, North Detroit Street, are spending the week end with Mrs. Filson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt in Urbana.

Miss Elizabeth McCormick, North King Street, student at Hood College, Frederick, Md., is spending a week's spring vacation at her home.

The year and a half old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Funderburg of near Osborn, died Friday night at 11:30 o'clock, from pneumonia, which followed an attack of whooping cough. Besides the parents, the child is survived by several brothers and sisters.

ANNUAL DINNER AND BUSINESS MEETING AT CHURCH

Three hundred persons attended the annual dinner and business meeting of the Second United Presbyterian Church, Friday evening, in the church dining room. A bounteous chicken dinner was served by the Ladies Aid Society, under the leadership of Mrs. Frank Routzong, president and Mrs. Charles Bickett, chairman of the third division.

Narcissi and other Spring flowers were used to decorate the tables and dining room.

Mr. Frank Hastings was elected president of the congregation; Mr. Fred Williamson, vice president; Mr. Graham Bryson, secretary; Mr. R. Grieve treasurer and Messrs. Ed Foust and Ernest Hutchison were re-elected to the board of trustees.

Reports were heard from all the secretaries, showed the work of the congregation to be in a prosperous condition. The congregational treasurer, Mr. R. R. Grieve, reported all bills paid and a balance of \$141.00 in the treasury.

XENIA W. C. T. U. MEETING FRIDAY

The Xenia W. C. T. U. met at the home of Miss Jennie Thomas, East Third Street, Friday, with Mrs. Emma Anderson in charge of the devotions. The "Studies in Government" lesson was conducted by the president and a discussion followed upon various subjects brought up by the lesson, in which nearly all present took part.

Miss Thomas gave a talk on her recent trip to Washington, D. C., after which a social hour was enjoyed.

Mr. Loren Whittington and Miss Ruth Whittington who attend Denison University, Granville, Ohio, are enjoying the Spring vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Whittington of South Detroit Street. Mr. Whittington has as his guest Mr. Ernest Galliam, a classmate.

Mr. Karl Ankeney who is a student at Miami University is spending the Spring vacation with his parents.

The Misses Alicia and Henrietta Monroe who attend Oberlin College are at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Monroe of East Market Street, for the Spring vacation.

Mr. Marcus McCallister, who attends Miami University, arrived Friday evening for a Spring vacation at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCallister of North King St.

Mr. Kenneth Holman is spending the Spring vacation at his home. He is a student at Miami University.

Miss Harriet Keller, student at Miami University, Oxford, O., arrived in Xenia Friday evening to spend the Spring vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Keller of North Detroit Street.

Messrs. Arthur and Donald Currie, students at the Ohio Wesleyan University, and Mr. Lawrence Currie, student at Cedarville College, are spending the Spring vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Currie, of West Church Street.

Mrs. Malissa Van Cleef who has been ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Faulkner, Hill Street, with rheumatism, for several weeks, is slowly improving.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesbee of South Whiteman Street, is ill with grip.

Mr. William Miller of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, is expected to arrive Sunday morning to spend the Spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Miller, of North Detroit Street.

Chas. Proudft, Jr., son of the Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Proudft, has been suffering from an attack of appendicitis, but is improving.

Messrs. Kenneth Hutchison, Bruce Ferguson, Robert Ballantyne, and Frank Short and Miss Myrtle Bickett, students at Muskingum College, Now Concord, O., are spending their Spring vacation at their Xenia homes.

Mr. John Wolford, of Miami University, Oxford, is spending his Spring vacation at his home on the Jamestown Pike.

MARSHAL SCHNEIDER OF OSBORN ASKS FOR RULING ON LAW ABOUT CONCEALED WEAPONS

Masha! W. A. Schneider, of Osborn, has written to Attorney General C. C. Crabb for a correct definition of the law governing carrying concealed weapons, asking that Crabb interpret the clause which says persons may be arrested for having weapons concealed "on or about" their person.

Marshal Schneider recently aided in the arrest of C. A. Baker and Ray Harris, of Charleston, Ill., on that charge, but on a rehearing of the case, the men were dismissed, because of insufficient evidence since the weapons found were discovered in their machine and not "on or about" their persons.

Marshal Schneider points out that the law is not clear on the phrase "on or about" or what it is intended

for. The ruling in the test case of Baker and Harris means that if a weapon is found concealed in a car, the owner is within the law, Schneider says.

"If this is the law, what chance has an officer of the public against the holdup man in the car?" asks Schneider. "You can carry on your automobile, weapons and conceal them until you are ready to use them, if an officer finds them, all he can do is to say, 'you can't pull off your job here, go to the next place' or else probably get shot."

"If this ruling is right, the hold-up men, highwaymen and bandits have a full and clear road to rob and plunder the public without interference of the law, unless they are caught at the job," claims Marshall Schneider.

Baker and Harris were arrested on the Fairfield-Zimmerman road in a stalled automobile by Deputy Marshal Al Jolley, of Osborn, who found them near the village without a state license on their machine. They were fined for operating a car without a license but the license was later found in the car.

In searching the car, officers found a 25 calibre automatic revolver in a side pocket, a box of 32 automatic shells, a blackjack under the foot-board, a 38 colt revolver, one 32 automatic revolver, and 200 cartridges.

According to Marshall Schneider, their actions from the time of their arrival in Dayton were in line with those of real hold-up men and yet the law says they are within the law turns them loose and sends an order to return their property to the men three revolvers, 200 rounds of shells and a blackjack.

Marshal Schneider said that these weapons are still in his possession and will remain so until a new ruling is made on the question. He ventures the opinion that if the decision was correct, the legislature should take immediate steps to amend the law or make it more easily understood.

EAST END NEWS

THIRD M. E. CHURCH

The Rev. Thomas Perkins of Wilberforce will deliver the eleven o'clock sermon. Preaching at 7:30 by the pastor.

The Tribe of Levi from Trinity C. M. E. Church of Dayton, will entertain us with their Candle Light Pageant, Saturday night at 7:30 p.m.

The public is cordially invited. — Rev. G. L. Sheppard, Pastor, ZION BAPTIST CHURCH, A. L. Dooley, Pastor.

Sunday School, 9:15 a.m., George Gaines, Supt. 10:30 a.m., Preaching, Subject: "The Completeness of Redemption." Text Ezekiel, 18:21, 7:30 p.m., Subject, "Give Jesus A Chance." Text, John 12:32. B. Y. P. U., 8:30 p.m., Mrs. A. C. Hawkins, President. Good program. Installation of officers. All are asked to be present on time. Public invited.

Mrs. Eliza O'Banion, 70, died at her home, 18 Columbus Avenue. She had

been a resident of Xenia practically all of her life.

Surviving are three brothers, Clayton, Martin and H. P. Howard, of Xenia and one sister, Mrs. Susie E. Hall, Nashville, Tenn.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence with interment in Cherry Grove Cemetery.

The special Palm Sunday music to be rendered by the Yellow Springs Baptist Church Choir at the Third Baptist Church at 3 p. m. this Sabbath will be of much interest and spiritual uplift. Rev. C. M. Smith will deliver the sermon for the occasion. The congregation will also worship with the local congregation. The public is invited.

KROGER COMPANY TO OPEN NEW STORE HERE

Arrangements are being made to open the fourth store of the Kroger Grocery and Baking Company in Xenia. The business room at 525 W. Main Street, recently occupied by a confectionery has been leased by the company for a grocery.

The room is being fitted up with counters and shelves for the new business and the entire room painted and varnished. The manager of the new store has not been announced.

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Stylish Coats

We are now showing, just in time for Easter, an unusually fine line of decidedly smart coats—all greatly underpriced. Mostly, following Fashion's latest trend, they are straight-lined. Some are trimmed with contrasting colors; others are perfectly plain. In all the shades of tan and the many new high colors. Seldom will you equal these high values that we are offering you in time for Easter Sunday.

\$7.45 to \$17.75

SMART FROCKS

Easter Sunday—the day of all days to have a lovely new dress. From our large assortments you cannot fail to find just the dress you want at a price less than you expected to pay. The newest dresses in silks, crepes, printed and figured materials are here for your choosing. No woman need do without a new Easter dress at these wonderfully low prices.

\$5.95 to \$15.00



New Arrivals In Easter Millinery

Many decidedly new and chic hats have arrived during the past few days—styles exceptionally desirable for Easter wear. The shapes, the beautiful colorings and deft touches of trimming combine in making these new assortments about the best and most delightfully stylish lot of millinery we've shown this season. At special low prices for Easter selling.

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GAS BUGGIES—Isn't That Just Like A Man



By BECK

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HOW HAVE YOU SPENT YOUR YEARS?

MEN in all ages, probably, have expressed the wish for perpetual youth. The recipe entitled "How to change an old man into a young man of twenty," which has been found by an Egyptologist, doubtless was formulated in response to a popular demand in 1600 B. C. Just what it proposed is not revealed but men have a natural revulsion against increasing years. This is what led Ponce de Leon on his quest of the "Fountain of Youth" and what he failed to find on that journey has been sought recently in gland transplantation, though possibly with no greater success than attended the efforts of the Egyptian quack 3,500 years ago. Something can be done toward delaying the departure of the feeling of youth, but the years that mark the passage from youth to mature age cannot be stayed and it is well that it is so.

The preservation of a youthful spirit lies not in magic, or in drinking from a fables fountain, or by some other form of hocus pocus to reveal the method. It lies entirely with the individual, but some do not care to practice it. Were it possibly by some means for one to secure perpetual youth it is not at all assured that such a state would be welcomed for long. A popular author, in treating of a legendary character condemned to live always, portrays the latter's grief over the passing away in each generation of those he had learned to love. His friends died and left him alone. His fate was a punishment to him. Possibly such would be the feeling were one to happen on a recipe for restoring youth to age. Each portion of life has its compensations. Age certainly is not to be regretted if the years have been fruitfully spent.

AND THIS IN AMERICA

MANIFESTLY it would be improper to discuss the merits of litigation pending before a court, but there are two features developed in the Tea Pot Dome case that require very serious attention irrespective of the outcome of the case itself. Consider the testimony of Admiral Robison, who was in charge of the Naval Oil Reserves and accepts full responsibility for the transfers to Sinclair and Doheny. Here's a man since boyhood trained, fed, clothed and kept in honorable posts at the expense of the people of the United States, who announces to the court that he deliberately secreted the transfer from Congress and the public because it was none of their business, although there was no element of military necessity involved. Whew—and this in America!

Turn then to the attitude of three great oil corporations—including the Standard of Indiana. A ranking official of each of these corporations has information urgently required by the United States Government to complete its case. These officials have fled the jurisdiction. When two of them are located abroad they flatly refuse to answer questions. The third is on "business" in South America. What assistance do their employees render the government? None that has been printed! They do not even disavow their conduct!

Yet each of these corporations has begged the Federal Government to protect it at home with tariffs and what not and abroad with Naval and Military support!

These same corporations are quick to fight "radicals," to "Americanize" foreigners and to cry to high Heaven against the Bolshevik, who are attempting to undermine the foundations of the government. So far as we know not one of their stockholders has demanded that these makers of Bolshevikki shall be disciplined! A pity 'tis a pity!

JUST FOLKS

Edgar A. Guest

A MARVELOUS PSYCHIC

A fortune man was here today
And lovely Nellie said to me:
"Let's hear the things he has to say!"
A dollar only is his fee."
So to the psychic, she and I
Went for a reading on the sly.

I've spent a dollar countless times
For trivial things and needed stores,
Spent them for buttons, wax and rhymes,
And raffle tickets by the scores,
Seats at the theaters and such,
But never one which bought so much.

I've squandered dollars I regret,
Spent them to find I had been stung,
I've even lost them on a bet,
Dollars to bidders I have flung,
But this one purchased more content,
Than all the others I have spent.

One thing he said was worth the price,
"I shall recall it all my life;
Be kind to him! Take my advice,
You're fortunate to be his wife,
You surely chose with wisdom rare
When you picked him your life to share."

I chuckled loudly in my glee!
"The man's a marvel!" I exclaimed,
"But surely has the dope on me!"
But in her eyes resentment flamed,
Later she said, "It's so absurd!
I don't believe a single word!"

STUDENTS TO START ANTIOCH BOOK STORE

A new bookstore is being proposed for Antioch College with the aim to provide the latest books of fiction, poetry and essays.
At a meeting of a small group of students, it was agreed to begin at once a campaign to enlist as many students as possible in the plan. Shares are to be sold at \$1 each. The proposed site for the store is in the loft of the new literary building. The books in the shop will be sold or rented by the day.

TO GIVE ADDRESS

A. L. Freedlander, factory manager and second vice-president of the Dayton Rubber Company, will deliver a talk in the science lecture hall of Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Monday evening. The subject of his speech will be, "Rubber Compounding Ingredients and their use in Rubber Goods Manufacturing."
Mr. Freedlander will have dinner with the Science Club of the College at 6 o'clock and speak at 7:30 p.m.

SPEAK AT VESPERS

Dr. Edward Janney, chairman of the central committee of the Friends General Conference at Baltimore, will be the speaker at the vesper service at 7 o'clock Sunday night at Antioch College. Dr. Janney's lecture will be broadcast from the Antioch station, WRAY. His subject will be "A Reasonable Faith."

"RIDE NOT A FREE HORSE TO DEATH" (Cervantes in "Don Quixote")



1905-Twenty Years Ago-1925

Manager H. C. Dean says that within a couple of weeks the new exchange for the Citizens' Company will be installed at Spring Valley.

Dr. B. R. McClellan delivered a lecture at the regular meeting of the Greene County Medical So-

ciet last night on the topic, "Treatment of Tuberculosis." To Xenians interested in the Central States Oil Company, it is announced that the concern shot its second well Saturday and is now averaging 120 barrels of oil per day.

active game: Have a cheap calico bag for every guest. In each bag have some article of clothing—the funnier the better. Old jackets and sweaters are best. Mix the bags up in the middle of the floor. At a signal, everybody snatches a bag (not knowing what is in it) and races for the wall and put on the article of clothing which is in the bag and run to the opposite end of the room, touch the wall, and race back to his starting place where he donned the garment. He who accomplishes this first, wins. This is a game which may be repeated again and again, the bags being mixed up each time.

Efficient Housekeeping

By Laura A. Kirkman

GAMES FOR AN EASTER PARTY

TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast	Strawberries	Cereal	Toast
Codfish Balls	Coffee		
Luncheon	Grilled Beefsteak	Mashed Potatoes	Creamed Cauliflower
Ice Cream	Fruit Salad	Coffee	
Guest Supper	Stuffed Eggs a la Marie	Jam Sandwiches	Cocoa
Cake	Preserves		

At an Easter Party for young people, the idea that spring has come, is generally stressed. Hence the use of the flower contests described below: Mount pictures of the early spring flowers on stiff cards, each of which bears a number; pin these cards upon a sheet, hung against the wall. Give each guest pencil and paper and ask them to write the names of all the flowers they recognize. At the end of four minutes, collect the cards. A small, inexpensive booklet on "How to Know the Flowers" would be an appropriate booty prize! He who has the most perfect results, however, might receive a potted Easter plant.

Pussy Willow Contest: Give each

guest pencil and a sheet of paper which is decorated with a sprig of pussy willow (either painted on, or pasted on). See who can write down the greatest number of words beginning with "cat" in three minutes. A small image of a cat would be a good first prize for the winner.

Easter Observation Contest: Have a group of things suggestive of Easter Season arranged on a tray—such as a hymn book, a picture of a church, a jonquil, a rabbit, a colored egg, a fluffy stuffed chick, etcetera. Once more distribute pencil and paper. Nobody may write upon the paper, however, until the tray is whisked away, after three minutes of steady observation. He who can recall the greatest number of articles on the tray wins.

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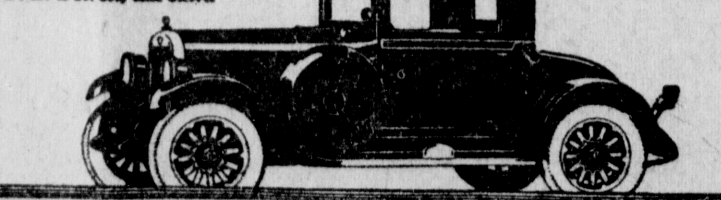
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Today's Talks

IT RAINED LAST NIGHT

The day had opened strange, silent, thick in mystery. Such a day as creeps into our heart of hearts and instead of lighting it up, serves to throw further darkness there and to arouse those serious questionings that so often confront us.

And then as the hours passed their way, it grew darker and then it rained, and rained.

All evening, all night it rained. Nature had taken on its double coat and then sat down to bear the tears of the heavens as they rushed in torrents to the table of the earth.

It is peculiar how storms influence the human heart, the human consciousness. Rain in itself is so beautiful, so clean and so inspiring in its errand. But when it is so wrapped in the garments of black clouds, and the closed eyes of night follow it to its rest amongst roots and stones and the dirt of the ground, then its effect is so different.

But what a transformation in the morning! Not a cloud to be seen. The sun streaming into every nook and corner of everywhere. Flowers bursting with laughter, rocks washed and now glistening in the reflected lights that dance upon their sides. The grass so green. The whole day round and warm, like a beloved ball in a boy's hand.

It rained last night. Our spirits were very low. But we drank a little cup of Faith and Confidence—and went to sleep.

Today is bathed in freshness. We are so full of courage. We taste of

patience lustily. We are not afraid to trust anew.
What storms there are that darken the heart! Sometimes how it rains and rains in there—until it well-nigh suffocates, calling for deliverance from its stress.

And then the storm breaks, as it always does, and how soon the darkness is forgotten.

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MONDAY AND TUESDAY

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EDUCATIONAL AND SAFETY WEEK WILL BE STAGED BY CLUB

Officials of the Greene County Auto Club will sponsor an "Educational and Safety Week" among schools in the county beginning Monday, April 6, it was announced Friday.

With summer and warm weather at hand, and school vacations starting in several months, officials believe that every precaution should be taken to safeguard against accidents by demonstrating principal causes and preventions.

Seven reels of motion pictures have been obtained from the Detroit Police Department, the General Motors Corporation, of Detroit and the United States Bureau of Mines, of Pittsburgh, showing causes of accidents and preventative measures.

It is believed that the public as well as children should be educated to safety and these pictures will be shown at local theaters four days of next week.

Officials have rented a motion picture machine and will take the films to all schools in the county to be shown. The pictures will be put on the screen at the Jamestown theater next Friday for students of Jamestown, Ross Township and Bowersville public schools.

A shipment of fifty jay-walking signs recently purchased from a company at Allegheny, Mich., are expected to arrive during the week and will be distributed in the county in connection with provisions of the new traffic ordinance.

ORDINANCE LIMITS FILLING STATIONS

Hereafter any person, partnership, or corporation which erects and maintains a filling station within 400 feet of any school, church, county or municipal building in the city of Urbana, will be liable to a fine of \$500, imprisonment for thirty days or both.

An ordinance with these provisions was passed by the city council of Urbana, Thursday night. The ordinance followed petitions by civic clubs and individuals, and is not retroactive and does not affect filling stations already in operation within the prohibited radius.

ELEVEN MINERS KILLED IN MINE

Gelsenkirchen, Germany, April 4.—Eleven miners were believed killed in an accident in a colliery here today.

A number of miners still were imprisoned in the mine and the total death list will not be known until rescuers are able to penetrate the tunnels.

Rescue work is being handicapped by water breaking into the pits.

HURT BY AUTO

Defiance, April 4.—Roger Derringer, 8, son of A. C. Derringer here, received nose and hip bruises when he was knocked down by an auto.



Health Hints by the Father of Physical Culture

From a heavy protein diet, constipation, unnatural eliminative skin activity, infection, alcohol and other stimulants, worry etc., the blood pressure may be raised considerably. Nature in her efforts to prevent damage many times produces a worse condition than that which she is attempting to guard against. This happens very often in cases of functional increase in blood pressure. In these cases nature hardens the blood vessel walls evidently with the intention of making them stronger and less susceptible to injury through the increased force with which the blood is pumped through them.

In other cases the diet has been so excessively heavy and the elimination so unnaturally reduced that mineral elements are deposited in large numbers in the blood vessel walls. In either case the blood vessels are made more brittle and subject to rupture. When feeling the pulse at the wrist of a person who has arteriosclerosis, or hardening of the arteries, the small artery is found to be resistive to touch and pressure and rolls under the finger as wire or a pipe stem would. Sometimes the blood vessels in the forehead and temples can be felt the same way. Symptoms of arteriosclerosis may be very slight and vague and a person may ignore them until a well developed case has been established. Some times there is a greater susceptibility to cold or heat, since the "ventilation" of the skin is abnormal. Headache is very common symptom and may be the only one noticed. It is usually at the base of the brain or at the "nape of the neck." A tightness and drawing may be felt at this latter point.

Very frequently, however, one does not suspect this condition until an examination for life insurance or some other troubling symptom has been made when the condition of the blood pressure is discovered. How many times have you known of some one who was according to accepted standards "the picture of health" who was suddenly stricken with apoplexy and resulting paralysis. But in every instance or practically so, there had been warnings that could have been interpreted to mean that the arteries were getting at a danger point of hardness and brittleness.

Made Officer Of The Ohio Bell



RANDOLPH ELIDE

To vice-president and general manager of The Ohio Bell Telephone Company after 14 years in the telephone business is the record of Randolph Elide, who recently was made vice-president and general manager at the meeting of the board of directors at the general offices in Cleveland. Mr. Elide has been general manager since November, 1923, having been elevated from general superintendent of traffic. Before coming to Cleveland, Mr. Elide was connected with the telephone industry in New York City, Detroit, St. Louis and Columbus. He is located at Cleveland.

DAMAGE SUIT WILL BE HEARD IN COURT HERE NEXT TUESDAY

The \$50,100 damage suit of Mildred Dickerson, former stenographer at Wilbur Wright Field against The Village of Osborn and the Miami Conservancy District will come up for trial in Common Pleas Court, Tuesday April 7.

In her suit for damages filed November 2, 1921, the plaintiff alleged that on the night of December 16, 1920, she stepped into a man hole in the sidewalk in Osborn on property line and was made an invalid from injuries sustained when she fell against a water pipe in the hole.

In her suit she claimed that she was attracted by a window display in the H. R. Kendig store which was brightly lighted. The immediate vicinity was dark and she did not notice the hole in the walk, she claimed.

The water pipe protruding from the hole caused her injuries from which she has never recovered, she claimed. Miller and Finney and Fred B. Johnson, of Indianapolis, Ind., are attorneys for the plaintiff while Morris D. Rice for Osborn and Brown and Frank represent the Miami Conservancy district.

Ten additional prospective jurors have been drawn from the jury wheel in Common Pleas Court completing the venire of about thirty for the January term which will serve until May 1.

The ten prospective jurors are: William C. Miller, Caesar Creek Tp.; Bertha Stuckey, Cedarville Tp.; Louise G. Jones, Xenia; Clare Martin, Cedarville Tp.; Oliver Gerlaugh, Miami Tp.; Mrs. Sylpha Baber, Xenia; Amanda C. Evans, Xenia; Nellie Hastings, Cedarville Tp.; B. H. Little, Cedarville Tp.; Charles Holland, Xenia.

A jury to try the case will be picked from the venire of thirty.

GETS FINE AND WORK HOUSE SENTENCE

Farris Wallace, Springfield, was found guilty of contributing to the delinquency of a sixteen-year-old girl at his trial in Probate Court Friday afternoon and fined \$200 and costs and given a six months sentence in the Dayton Workhouse by Judge S. C. Wright.

Wallace was returned to Xenia last Saturday by Deputy Sheriff John Baughn from Springfield where he had been arrested and pleaded not guilty to the charge of his arraignment.

PLAY VOLLEY BALL

Faculty members of Antioch College played hosts to five Wilmington College teachers in volley ball games at Yellow Springs Thursday afternoon the visitors winning the last three games after Antioch had gotten off to a good start by copping the first contest. A return game with Antioch had got Antioch the man the Antioch will be played next Monday afternoon at Wilmington College.

Market News

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs — Receipts, 4,000; market, steady to 10c lower; bulk, \$13.35@13.80; top, \$12.90; heavyweight, 250 to 325 lbs., \$9.50@13.85; medium wt., \$13.50@13.90; light weight, \$13.40@13.85; light lights \$12.50@13.65; heavy packing sows, smooth, \$12.25@12.60; packing sows, rough, \$11.75@12.25; pigs, \$11.50@13.

Cattle — Receipts, 500; market, steady; Beef Steers: choice and prime \$10.75@11.85; medium and good, \$9.50@10.50; good and choice, \$10@10.50; common and medium, \$7.50@9.50; Butcher Cattle: heifers, \$5.50@11; cows, \$4.50@7.75; bulls, \$4@7; Canners and Cutters: Cows and heifers, \$2.50@4.50; Canner steers, \$5.50@7.70; veal calves, light and handyweight, \$3.50@11.50; feeder steers, \$6@8.75; stocker steers, \$5.50@8.50; stocker cows and heifers, \$3.50@5.50; stocker calves, \$5.50@8.25.

Sheep — Receipts, 5,000; market, steady; fat lambs, \$14@16.50; lambs, culls and common, \$12@13.50; spring lambs, \$15@17; wethers, \$9.50@11; ewes, \$8.50@9.75; ewes, culls and common, \$2@4; feeder lambs, \$15.50.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK

Cattle—Supply, 50 carloads; market, steady; choice, \$10.25@10.75; prime, \$9.80@10.25; good, \$10@10.25; tidy butchers, \$8.80@9.25; fair \$8@8.75; common, \$7@7.50; common to good fat fat bulls, \$4@7.50; common to good fat cows, \$2.50@5.50; heifers, \$7.25@7.75; fresh cows and springers, \$5@100; veal calves, 75 head; steady at \$15; heavy and thin calves, \$4@9.

Hogs—Receipts, 800; market, active 20c up; prime heavy hogs, \$14.30@14.40; mediums, \$14.30@14.40; heavy yorkers, \$14.30@14.40; light yorkers, \$13.50@13.75; pigs, \$13@13.25; roughs, \$11@13; stags, \$6@7.

Sheep and Lamb—Supply, 300 head; market, steady at \$11; prime wethers, \$8.25@8.75; good mixed, \$7.50@8; fair mixed, \$6@7; culls and common, \$3@5; lambs, \$16.40.

DAYTON LIVESTOCK

HOGS

Receipts 4 cars; market, steady.
Heavies, 200 lbs. up — \$ 14.00
Mediums, 160-200 lbs. — 13.40
Yorkers, 130-160 lbs. — 12.25
Pigs, 130 lbs. down — 8.00@10.50
Stags — 5.00@ 8.00
Sows — 8.00@12.00

CATTLE

Receipts heavy; market slow and steady.
Best butcher steers — \$ 9.00@ 9.50
Medium butcher steers — 7.00@8.50
Best butcher heifers — 7.50@8.50
Medium heifers — 6.00@ 6.50
Best fat cows — 5.00@ 6.50
Medium cows — 4.00@ 5.00
Bologna cows — 2.00@ 3.00
Bulls — 4.50@ 5.50
Veal calves — 8.00@11.00

SHEEP

Spring lambs — 10.00@15.50
Sheep — 2.00@ 5.00

XENIA

(Faulkner and St. John)

Bulls, \$2@4.
Sheep, \$2@3.
Heavies, \$13.00.
Mediums, \$13.00.
Light yorkers \$12.00.
Pigs, \$11.00.
Stags, \$5.00.
Sows, \$10.00.
Stock heifers, \$3@4.
Stock cows, \$2@3.
Butcher steers, \$5@8.
Stock steers, \$3@5.
Butcher cows, \$3@4.
Butcher heifers, \$5@6.
Light yorkers, \$3@5.25.

GRAIN

DAYTON

Flour and Grain

(By the Durst Milling Co.)
Timothy Hay, No. 1, \$22 per ton.
Bulk Bran, \$36 per ton.
Bulk Middlings, \$40 per ton.
Straw, \$14 per ton.
Pure Chop Feed, \$57 per ton.
Cottonseed Meal, \$52 per ton.
Oil Meal, \$52 per ton.
(Prices being paid for grain at mill)
Wheat, No. 1, \$1.60.
Rye, No. 2, \$1.15 per bushel.
Corn, \$1.50 per 100 lbs.
New oats, 50c per bushel.

XENIA

(Corrected Daily)
(By The DeWine Milling Co.)
(Buying Price)

No. 1, Timothy Hay, \$12.
No. 1, Light Mixed Hay, baled \$11.
New Yellow Ear Corn, \$1.05.
No. 2 Red Winter \$1.40
No. 3, White Oats 40c.

Middlings, \$2.10.
Rye, \$1.00.
Bran, \$2.00.

PRODUCE

CLEVELAND PRODUCE MARKET

Butter, extra, 49 1-2@51 1-2.
Prints, 50 1-2@52 1-2.
Packing, 27@28c.
Firsts, 47 1-2@48 1-2c.
Eggs, fresh, 32c.
Ohio Firsts, 29 3-4c.
Western Firsts, 29 1-2c.
Oleo, nut, 35c.
High grade animal oils, 26 1-2@27c.
Lower grades, 20@21c.
Cheese, York State, 27@28c.
Poultry, Fowls, 30@31c.
Roosters, 17@18c.
Springers, 30@31c.
Ducks, 35@38c.
Geese, 18@20c.
Apples, \$2.50@2.75.
Strawberries, 40@50c qt.
Beans, dried navy, 15c.
Cabbage, \$10@11 ton.
Potatoes, \$1.50@1.90 sack.
Sweet Potatoes, \$2.50@2.85 hamper.
Tomatoes, \$7.50@9.50 crate.
Onions, \$2.75@3 cwt.
Cucumbers, \$4.25@4.50 box.

DAYTON PRODUCE

Eggs and Poultry
Fresh Eggs—29c per dozen.

Retail Price

Fresh Eggs—35c per dozen.
Steaks—50c per pound.
Spring Roasts—50c per pound.
Spring Broilers—90c per pound.
Ducks—45c per pound.
Prices Paid for Delivery at the Plant:
Five-pound Hens—28c.
Spring Roasts—28c.
Ducks on Foot—25c pound.
Young Guinea—20c pound.
Roosters—12c pound.
Fresh Eggs—25c dozen.
Fries—30c pound.

RETAIL PRICES

(Corrected by the Joe Frank Co. East 2819)
Butter—55c pound.
Eggs—30c dozen.
Roasting Chickens—45c pound.
Stewing Chickens—45c pound.
Fries—50c pound.
Boiling Chickens—28c pound.
Ducks—45c pound.
Geese—45c pound.
Turkeys—70c pound.
Live Hens—30c pound.
Live Roosters—28c pound.
Live Ducks—28c pound.
Live Geese—25c pound.
1925 Spring Broilers, 50c.

Prices Being Paid at Plant for Live Poultry and Eggs

Chickens—26c pound.
Ducks—23c pound.
Geese—18c pound.
Roosters—13c pound.
Eggs—25c dozen.

Butter
(By Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers' Association.)
Butter—50c a pound.

XENIA

Good, big chickens, 25c.
Eggs, 25c
Leghorns, 10c.

"Dope" in Rolls



SHERIFF J.M. HANNAN

A new use for hot cross buns was discovered by Sheriff John M. Hannan, of Jersey City, when he opened one that Mrs. Benjamin Bonmosche brought to her husband in jail and found that it contained morphine. Mrs. Bonmosche joined her husband in the cooler.

HERE'S CENTRAL HIGH COURT SQUAD OF 1924-25 SEASON



The above picture shows the Central High School court combination of 1924-25 which won nine games and lost four. Front row left to right: Coach John Ballantyne, Robert Finley, forward; Ervin Rutan, forward; Captain Eugene Perrine, guard; Howell Huston, forward; Raymond Geger, guard. Back row, left to right: Ira Towles, guard; Lewis Buell, center; Abraham Rakoff, manager; Arnold Boxwell, guard; Edgar Holton, guard.

Central High School made an enviable basketball record during the 1924-25 season winning nine games and losing but four contests, three of which were by close scores.

The Xenia net artists proved their ability by scoring a total of 335 points as compared to a total of 292 points registered by opposing teams.

The 1925 team was a credit to the coaching of the new athletic director, John Ballantyne, who stepped into

the breach left vacant by Earl Hargner and turned out a winning team assisted by the fact that material at hand for rebuilding a team was above par.

Led by Captain Eugene Perrine, Central made a record of five consecutive wins at the close of the regular playing season but ended the season in the state tournament losing to the Dayton Preps by five points.

The team was one of the best balanced Central has boasted of in several years, recalling to mind the year in which the team mentored by Jerry Katherman created such a stir in the state tournament.

Central made an enviable showing in its initial start of the season with Springfield, later state champs, although losing by six points and if for no other reason, the game with the Resper City team gained for Xenia a name among the best teams in the southern section of the state, and made the season a success.

Captain Perrine was the star on both defense and offense and scored

almost one third of his teams' total points during the thirteen games played.

Rutan, the other forward, also shone brilliantly in several games and was runner-up to Perrine in scoring. Buell held down the difficult jumping station like a veteran while Holton, Towles and Huston left nothing to be desired on the defensive end.

EAST END NEWS

MRS. JAMES HARRIS

Correspondent

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MODISH MITZI—Goldy Locks, Let Down Your Bobbed Hair! By JAY V. JAY



To begin at the beginning you have to see Mitzi in the dishveled state that follows a shampoo. It is the time when most bobbed heads look at themselves seriously and debate what to do. Grow it or have it trimmed again? Of course, any desirable length can be acquired at a moment's notice.

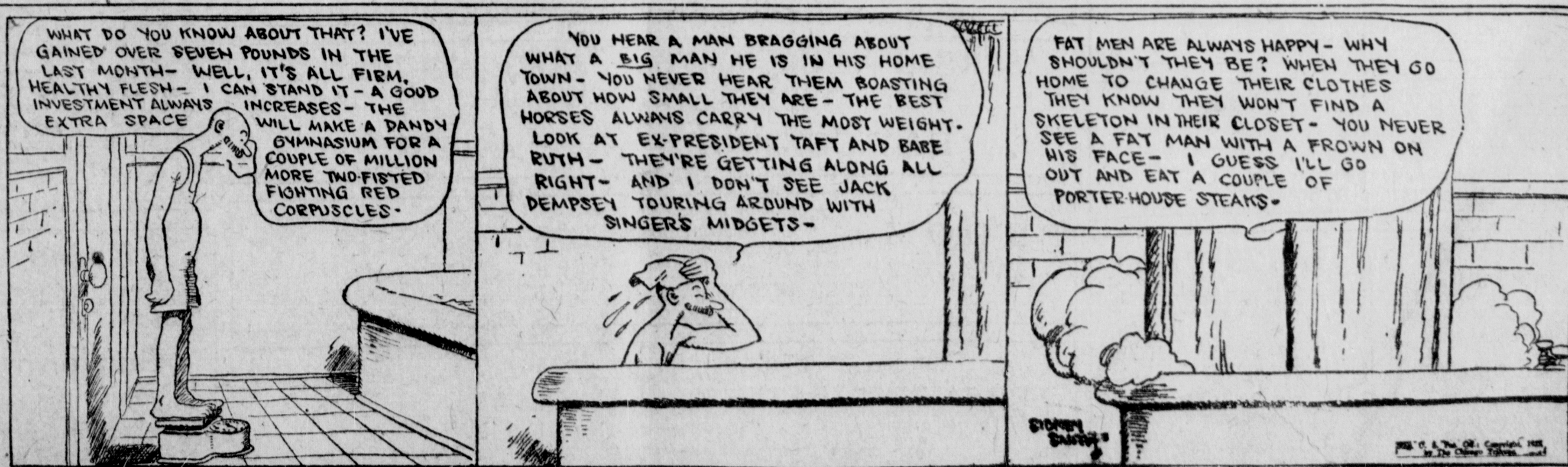
Fortunately the hairdresser is not without resource and many "transformations." She has rolled some of Mitzi's hair into a coronet effect over the top of her head. She has done it with outside assistance, as one might call the chignon.



Another way to make one's coiffure different is to use a chignon it is an easy matter now to have it match properly and roll the hair at the neck all the way around the head. This is turned under and pinned in place by invisible hair pins.

Still another way to vary one's coiffure is to enlist the sympathies of the same chignon, part the hair in the back and pin the chignon tight about the head. This gives a very unusual neckline.

THE GUMPS—HIS POUND OF FLESH



WEEKLY BUSINESS REVIEW

Representative Firms and Products of Our City

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LARGE SHIPMENT OF SUPPLIES FOR BUILDERS HERE

The Stout Coal Company, Home Avenue and Washington Street, is "keeping the pot boiling" with supplies that will satisfy its large trade the year around. The company has recently received large shipments of general builders' supplies, including tile, cement and sewer pipe, and is now enabled to take care of a large business throughout the year. The approach of warm weather has cut down the number of coal orders and the increase of building in the city has caused a demand for builders' supplies. The past severe winter has witnessed the sale of large quantities of high grade coal from the Stout Company including lump, egg, and domestic coal and anthracite and coke for baseburners and chicken brooders. Crystal Block and White Ash are the leading lines handled by the company from the selling standpoint. The Stout Black, mined in Kentucky, is one of the best grades handled by the firm.

ANDERSON SHOP HANDLES FLOWER SERVICE OF WORLD

Have you a friend or relative living on the European continent to whom you would like to send a potted plant for Easter?

Perhaps you have received word of the sudden death of a dear friend in Los Angeles, Calif., and wish to tender sympathy in the form of a floral spray.

The Anderson Floral Shop, West Main Street, enables Xenians and Greene Countians to "say it with flowers" any kind of a message to be conveyed in floral form to any part of the world through the shop's membership with the Florists Telegraph Delivery Association.

The association gives service all over the world, and members of the florists' organization everywhere are listed in a directory kept by each member. The system is similar to that of a banking system and pay is made through a clearing house.

With the approach of Easter, floral orders at the Anderson Shop are increasing and gifts of flowers to any point can be made through the telegraph service at the local shop.

Through its advertising the Anderson Shop is trying to acquaint people with the extensive service afforded through the telegraph service, which puts Xenia's floral service on a basis with any city of the world.

REASONABLE RATE OF YELLOW CABS HAS LARGE APPEAL

By calling 296 at the Atlas Hotel one has access to the Yellow Cab Company, which offers one of the best taxi services in the city.

"Every driver an escort" is the slogan of the company, of which Daniel A. Donovan is proprietor and the high grade finish and accessories of the city cabs insure complete comfort.

Calls are answered by the Yellow Cab drivers at any hour of the day or night. The rates of the company are reasonable, the city being divided into two zones. In the first zone, which is the first three-quarters of a mile covered by the cab, twenty-five cents is charged the passenger.

In the second zone, or beyond the first three-quarters of a mile the charge jumps to fifty cents, which is the maximum charge. If there are two or more passengers in the car, each passenger is charged only twenty-five cents even if the trip is into the second zone.

Three cabs are operated by the Yellow Cab company, one with a regulation Yellow Cab body and inside fittings, and other two Ford machines with regular taxi accessories.

SAND AND GRAVEL OF BEST QUALITY FROM HORNEY PIT

When you are building anything, from a cottage to a skyscraper, you need sand gravel and blocks.

A pit that contains sand, gravel and material for blocks that is the finest in quality to be had in this part of the state, is being sold by Ralph Horney, near Xenia.

Two of the biggest items of expense in buying sand and gravel are the cost of transportation freight charges and demurrage and loss due to loading and unloading. When you buy sand and gravel at the Horney pit, the only transportation charges are the cost of trucking from the gravel pit on West Second Street, to the building site.

Mr. Horney is handling big orders and contracts in sand, gravel and blocks and the large amount of building over the country has resulted in a big run on his material. He urges all contractors to learn how much cheaper it is to use screened gravel to be obtained at his pit, than the usual pit run.

He takes care of all orders with a capable corps of workmen, and sand, gravel and block orders may be filled by calling 429-R-1.

HOUSE CLEANING? WALL PAPER AND PAINT IMPORTANT

In the Spring a young man's fancy might turn to thoughts of love but that of the housewife turns to housecleaning.

And when a woman "puts her house in order" two of the chief words in her thoughts and vocabulary are "wallpaper" and "paint". For what house can be a home without pretty up-to-date wallpaper and the clean finish of fresh paint?

Wallpaper for every room in the house in the latest patterns is being shown at the Fred F. Graham Store, South Whiteman Street, through the Multiplex Display System. The paper is arranged on "leaves" on the wall displaying harmonizing wall, ceiling and border patterns. The display is made more attractive by the new lighting system recently installed in the store.

The company with a corps of capable workmen, has recently completed two large contracts, one for the exterior and interior painting and varnishing of the new Shorter Hall, Wilberforce University and a similar contract at the Katherine Denver Williams Memorial Dormitory at Wilmington College.

The highest grades of paints, varnishes and all finishes are sold at the Fred F. Graham Store.

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In addition to the general line of plumbing goods and steam fittings, the Bocklet-King Company, West Main Street, carries a line of water-proof leather and rubber belting, garden, suction and spray hose in all sizes and the necessary attachments. This with the company's stock of odd repair parts, machine and cap screws gives it a line that well entitles the company to the slogan, "Try Bocklet-King Company!"

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Mr. North and his Guernsey hot water heating system is one of the things that has put Xenia "on the map." Mr. North has heated over 500 residences besides a large number of public buildings, among them the Allen Building, the largest job in the state at the time it was done.

He has also heated the large buildings at Wilberforce University and then connected them up with a crystal heating plant. He had heated both the Bijou and Orpheum theaters in Xenia. Among the churches in the city in which he installed heating systems is the St. Bridget's Catholic Church and the First M. E. Church; the U. B. Church at Belmont and the M. E. Church at Bowersville.

Few homes of any consequence have been built in Xenia in the past thirty years that have not been heated with a Guernsey system, according to Mr. North. His work is by no means local but covers a territory of almost 100 miles square.

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MIAMI CONSERVANCY DISTRICT WILL SELL 13,000 FARM AGRES

A new policy, adopted to apply to the disposal of farm lands in the Miami Valley, was the result of a meeting of the board of directors of the Miami Conservancy District, at a recent meeting in Dayton.

More than half the available lands have already been sold. For the remainder, about 13,000 acres, a new plan of selling has been offered.

Realizing that many men who wish to engage in farming for themselves have not sufficient ready cash to buy farms of good quality near the markets, the district announces a policy of selling which will make it easy for the responsible farmers to buy and pay for their farms out of their income from them. Under this plan the prices asked for farms will be the same as they would bring if sold for cash, but the buyer has to pay only 10 per cent of the total price at the time of purchase and an additional 15 per cent on the first of the following March, at the time his deed is delivered to him. The balance is to be paid off in equal installments extended over a period of sixteen years.

The interest rate will be 6 per cent, payable semi-annually. The annual payments (including interest) are such that they amount to but 7 1/2 of the total price of the farm—a rate of payment no larger than the interest alone on many loans and still the whole debt is paid off in sixteen years.

The farm land in the Miami Valley is of the best, declares officers of the Miami Conservancy, and even through the recent lean years the operation of the Conservancy farms has more than paid expenses. However, the Conservancy District was created entirely for flood control and not for farming and for this reason, it was adopted this unusual means of closing out the farm lands. As there are about 13,000 acres of farm land available for purchase under this plan in units ranging in size from a few acres to 1,800 acres each, and located in sections of the Miami Valley between Dayton and Sidney, a wide choice as to size and location is possible.

MARCH RECEIPTS SHOW DECREASE

Receipts during the month of March at the County Auditor's office fell off slightly, the monthly financial statement shows.

With a balance in the treasury February 28, of \$227,188.01, receipts during March totaled \$63,554.25 as compared to disbursements amounting to \$147,615.04, leaving a balance of \$143,411.66 March 31, 1925.

WANTS FISH

Middleport, April 4.—The sportsmen's organization of Meigs County several hundred members strong is demanding that fish be supplied for the streams of the county and that a head game protector be named. There now are two deputy protectors in this district.

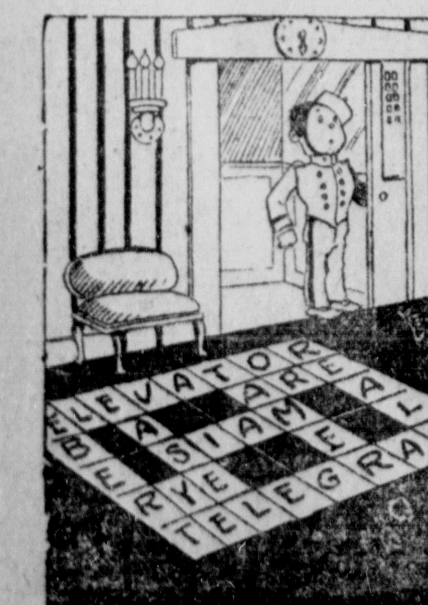
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The words start in the numbered squares and run either across or down. Only one letter is placed in each white square. If the proper words are found each combination of letters in the white squares will form words. The key to the puzzle—the first word—is given in the drawing. Below are keys to the other words.



Running Across
Word 1. A yellow bird. In the picture.
Word 4. A fat used in olden times for making candles.
Word 6. The most important organ in the body. Plural.
Running Down
Word 1. Capture. What the cat would like to do to the bird.
Word 2. To feel sick or in pain.
Word 3. What one does when one is sleepy. Plural.
Word 5. A meadow.

YESTERDAY'S JUNIOR PUZZLE ANSWER



BRINGING UP FATHER



By GEORGE McMANUS

Michael's Marriage

By MICHAEL

CHAPTER VII.

"Surely you haven't forgotten my name, Michael! You've been calling me Miss Blanton all afternoon." She smiled at him sweetly. "You ought to know that I'm Helen to you."

Michael grinned stupidly and managed to conceal his boredom. He disliked girls he did not consider pretty, and Helen's beauty had faded for him. He wished that he might get away from her.

He had been cornered by Helen as tea was being served; that is to say, he felt as if he had been cornered. She herself had handed him his cup of tea, and afforded him no opportunity to move away with Jimmy Thyme and Lilah Pharely. He looked across at them now. He envied Jimmy the place by Lilah's side, and almost hated him for being there. How lovely Lilah was!

"Are you going to remember to call me Helen?" his companion pressed.

"Why—yes," he replied, in his embarrassment, he endeavored to be amusing. "I'll think of you as Helen of Troy."

"You're foolish as ever," she responded. She placed her cup on the tea-wagon and turned to him with a wave of enthusiasm.

"You know I haven't seen Star Lake since last year, and I'm just dying to get a breath of its pine trees again. You may drive me out there if you like."

The suggestion chilled him. He did not want to take her; and it struck him that she was being rather forward.

"Yes we'll have to go out," he assented, indefinitely. "Oh, by the way, have you seen Elaine lately?" He realized now that it was Elaine, and not Helen that had made those week-end house parties out at Star Lake so enjoyable.

"I haven't seen her for several months. You see she lives on the south side of Chicago, I live in Winnetka, on the north side, and our sets don't run across each other very often." It was to be inferred from her tone that she did not estimate either Elaine or Elaine's "set" very highly.

Michael wished that he had Elaine, jolly and thoughtful old Elaine here to talk with instead of this girl, for whom his dislike was increasing. Yesterday

he was day-dreaming about her; today he was hating her: so goes the heart.

He happened to glance in the direction of Lilah Pharely. She was alone. He looked around the room for Jimmy Thyme, but Jimmy had vanished. His eyes went back to Lilah hopelessly, as if seeking aid in escaping from Helen. He had an impulse to get up and leave Helen without a word, but found himself unable to follow it. Fortunately, one of the Peabody girls arrived, and indicated that there was a belated guest for Helen to receive. Michael fled towards Lilah with relief. To him it appeared as if she was bored with the party; she was not true; she was trying to appear as if she didn't mind being unnoticed. No one had paid any attention to her except the unorthodox Jimmy Thyme and now, Michael.

Lilah Pharely was present at this tea not because she was one of the persons the Peabodys invited to tea, but because she was a cousin of the family. The invitations she received to other homes were few, because no one recognized her as any one but a relative of the Peabodys. Lilah was not poor and she decidedly was not humble, but her father was an undertaker, a fact that had served to ostracize her in the pompous and presumptuous social circle in which the Peabodys moved. Of course, she could not help being aware of this attitude towards her. But she carried her head high, and annoyed persons with her smile.

"Tea parties are rather dull affairs, aren't they," Michael said to her casually. He had strolled up and stopped by her chair as he spoke.

She measured him quickly with a glance, and shrugged. "Yes, you'd just think that they all came to eat."

His heart warmed at the thought of having found a kindred spirit.

"I dare say you prefer dancing any time?"

Interest showed in her eyes at last. "I should say so!"

"Will you—" He saw some of the guests leave, and an idea different from the one he had just begun to speak was born in his nimble mind. "May I drive you home?"

Her expression betrayed no surprise. For just a moment she held his eyes; then her smile freshened.

"I'm sorry but I've already promised." Their eyes met again, and Michael got the impression that she was not "already promised." He rose and left her to bid his hostess and the guests goodbye, feeling that Lilah's eyes were on his back, laughing at him.

"Damn," he mused to himself, as he started the motor of his automobile. "I'm in love with her."

He felt a curious exultation. (To be continued.)

NEW FACULTY MEMBER

Herman Schnurer will join the Antioch College faculty next year to become an instructor in French and English.

At present he is an instructor in French in the University of Arkansas. Mr. Schnurer after graduating from the Fifth Avenue High School in Pittsburgh, matriculated at the University of Pittsburgh. He received

his A.B. degree from Columbia University in 1921 and later studied at the Sorbonne in Paris, reaching his degree in 1923.

DECLINES CALL

Bucyrus, April 4.—Rev. Hodge M. Eagleson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, told his parishioners that while he had been offered the pastorate of his former church, at Wellston, Ohio, at an increase in salary, he declined the offer because he felt his work was here.

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